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Order limiting to the 28th FEBRUARY, 1893,

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ALBERT BIRD, in his 46th year.

Hongeong, JANUARY 21st, 1898.

in the Colony and of its immediate prospects is drawn in the protest of the unofficial members of the Legislative Council to the Secretary of State, which we publish in another column. We are told that the general trade of the Colony is neither profitable nor satisfactory and that it cannot improve while the gold value of silver continues sbrouded in boundless uncertainty and violent fluctuations in exchange are taking French mail, left Singapore at 5 p.m. on Thursplace. Land also, it is stated, has not improved in value, and it is improbable it will " ready largely overbuilt generally through. "out the Colony, and the reclamation of "new land, along the Praya Central "westwards from the sea, will be avail-"able for building purposes sconer or later." In the recently published memorial of the

view is taken in the following passage:-

"Serious as is the depression now weighing

"and the revenue, your memorialists have

"no fears as regards the future. The volum

"of trade steadily increases. Population is rolling in as steadily. A few years of patient labour will more than replace our " former value. Shares and other ascurities "will again command the former prices."

That brighter days than the present are in store for the Colony there can be no doubt, but in the meantime economy in the which necessitated heaving the ship to for forty- Gulland, who had gone to Woosung early in the ormons rise in the value of land, and to the cer- in many instances to call, even with little or hepublic expenditure is a matter of the first importance and the community is indebted to the unofficial members for the trouble having reference to the "Feima Channel" at they have taken in pointedly drawing Lord the Woosung Bar, and precautions to be taken Ripon's attention to the growing cost of the administration. As they intimate in their protest, there is some differthat, owing to the prevailing cold weather, the once of opinion in the Colony on the tennis "At Home" fixed for to-day is postponed question of official salaries, but there no division as to the fact that the total cost of the administration is much too high, o'clock, the steam launch Dayspring, carrying troops appeared on the scene, led by the Che has been admitted by no less an authority than the Governor himself, and to 11 am. service at St. Peter's (Scamen's) one fight sufficed to settle the whole insurgedin a small way some attempt at economising Church, returning about 12.30. has already been made. On the appoint-Court the salary has been reduced, and two imprisonment with hard labour. This carpenter

ment of a new Registrar of the Supreme well paid officers of the Treasury who are retiring will not be replaced. It is much to be regretted, however, that His Excel lency did not assent in the first instance to preferred, this time to the Secretary of claimed being \$10,000. State himself, and it is one which cannot with any propriety be refused. The tax- gave their farewell performance of "The Voyage payers have to provide the funds, and when there is a general complaint of extravagance were again encored and some clever step in the expenditure they have a right to demand an inquiry. It is notorious that useless offices are maintained and that new officers have been forsted on the Colony 1.00 when there were already competent officers on the spot with no work to do. There is 1.00 Do general desire on the part of the public to be illiberal in the matter of salaries, but there is the strongest possible feeling against paying an unnecessary number of We cannot agree with the unofficial mem-

bers when they say there is no division of opinion in the Colony " as to the uselessness Thursday evening Sir Knight J. McLeavy "in the Council as at present "constituted of the presence of an unofficial element which On the contrary, we think the general 12.00 opinion of the Colony-will be that the un- J. Dyer Ball; Sub-Marshal, Sir Knight F. L. 5.50 official members have in the past rendered Lloyd; Capt. of the Lines, Sir Knight J. 12.50 eminently useful services, as they may con-18.00 tique to do, even under the present constitu- Sir Knight C. E. Reynolds; Equerry, Sir tion. That constitution, however, no longer | Knight J. Maxwell. meets the needs of the Colony. Whether it should be amended by increasing the number of the unofficial members so as give them a majority over the officials, or full control over the branches of the administration which might be delegated to it, is a way Administration to build a subsidiary linlarge question, and one on which the commission which we hope shortly to see appointed by Lord Ripon may possibly see fit

to make some recommendation. The question raised as to the right of the official members to vote when their own salaries are under consideration is an interesting one from an academic point of view but does not appear to possess much practical im. portance under present circumstances. The ultimate decision on salaries, as on most everything else connected with the colony, rests with the Secretary of State, and the official members are merely the mouthpiece by which legislative effect is given to in a close finish, co. ditions being even. The that decision. In the event of their being Ladybird rates 1.5 and the Dart I 4 and in Club outvoted, as might happen if one or two of them were absent from a particular meeting, the decision of the Secretary of State could Bovril were y sterday afternoon sold by auction still be given effect to by an order of Her at Mr. Kennedy's stables, Canseway Bay, by Majesty in Council.

THE recruiting for the new Volunteer Majestic who recently deceated the redoubtable Corps has so far succeeded that it is anticipated there will be no difficulty in making \$500 and ultimately after keen competition the up the requisite number of 120, and it is hoped that this number will be largely part owner. Bovril was then offered and for this exceeded. Including the members of the exceedingly good looking animal the bidding existing Corps some sixty names are already down for the Artillery and an equal number 3:,000 and Mr. Aubert's representative supis considered as assured for the Maxim plementing the offer with \$1,075 the purchaser Gun Corps. The fact that it has been found possible to revive Volunteering in remarkably well. It remains, however, to be the Colony affords cause for genuine satisfaction and it is to be hoped the Corps will prove a vigorous and long. lived one. Previous Corps have been easily launched but have perished one after the lest testimonials as to his entertaining other owing to the difficulty of getting recruits to fill the places of the men who left. Let us hope that in the present musical line we have had here lately. A Bangcase the experience may be reversed and that the Corps, having had a somewhat difficult birth, may be endowed with a strong | quisitely amusing caricaturist is to convey but a constitution. The Government has the experience of three previous Corps to guide and completeness of his changes were very strik. it in the management of the new one and has ing. Taken altogether it is little short of marreceived valuable advice from a competent committee. Under these circumstances, least trace of fatigue, but with increasing members; the Bill was thus reported in its origiand with the increase in the number of vigour and vivacity. The case with which he young men in the Colony, it may perhaps be found possible to keep the Corps perman- lively to severe, stamps him no ordinary artist. ently up to a reasonable strength. But every few years it seems worth while to try the Colony.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Palamed left Singapore on Thursday morning for this port.

The D. D. R. steamer Salatiga, from Ramburg, left Singapore yesterday for this port. The P. & O. steamer Lombardy left Singapere at 6 a.m. on the 18th inst, for this port.

There will be a celebration of Holy Com-The M. M. steamer Saghalien, with the next day for this port.

exceed Tis. 120,000, which includes the buildings consumed and their contents. Japan is rapidly advancing. Two members of the Dist had a souffle at the door of the House the other day. When the members get to fight.

marine lot holders a somewhat brighter Australian Parliaments. The German gunboat Wolf arrived at Shang. hai on the 16th inst. from Chinkiang in com-"on the colony and affecting alike the trade mand of her new Captain, Lieutenant Comman-

The P. & O. steamer Manila left Bombay on Thursday morning for this port.

The election of the Municipal Council heavy losses. Land will rise again to its Shanghai this year is not to be an uncontested one, there being fourteen caudidates for the nine The steamer Avochie (Capt. Rowin), which

arrived on Thursday night from Hongay, encountered a strong N.E. gale in Tonkin Gulf

advertisment which appears on our front page to prevent collisions. The Commodore and officers H.M.S. Victor Emanuel and Naval Yard desire to intimate

till Saturday next, the 28th instant.

a piece of tobacco a carp nter was yesterday sentenced by Mr. H. E. Wodehouse to six weeks'

On Thursday evening the Bons of Neptune

of H.M.S. Albacore" to an enthusiastic but not quite full house. Most of the principal songs danoing introduced in the closing scene was loudly applauded. Frequent references to the approaching departure of the Tamar were introduced into the dialogue during the course of the

The Shanghai Mercury says :- We cannot vouch for the truth of the following, but it is an the cards that Nieh Taotai of this port, who has started for Soochow, will, among other matters of importance which he will lay before the High Proviscial Authorities, request permission to settle the vexed question of the Woosang Bar. But this really appears to be too good to be true, yet we have it on pretty good authority that the Woosing Bar is one of the points Nich Taotai wishes to settle.

At the meeting of the Victoria Preceptory on Brown was installed as Emineut Preceptor for the en uing year and invested the officers as follows: -Prelate, Sir Knight G. C. Anderson; Constable, Sir Knight R. Cooke; Marshal, Sir Knight R. Markwick, junr; Treasurer. Sir Knight J. W. Kinghorn; Registrar, Sir Knight Bryant; Almoner, Sir Knight F. D. Goddard; D.C., Sir Knight J. Kirkwood, First Herald

A Tientsin letter informs us (Mercury) that cars can now be run from Tientsin eastwards, as far as Lanchow, and that the extension line to the south gate of Shan-bai-kwan will probably be finished by the end of the present Chinese pring, the line will be further extended to Kinchow, whence it is the intention of the Railto Moukden, while the main trunk line will be continued on to Kiriu, a work that will occupy four or five years. From Lanchow another line westwards is contemplated to north of Tangchow (near Peking), and thence to Paoting fu, the apital of Chili province.

A sailing match has been arranged to take place on Sunday between the well-known boats the Dart (Shropshire) and the Ladybird- (Mr. Wilkinson). The course will be from a line between the Submarine mining pierands mark-boat, moored outside, crossing starting line from E. to W., to White fairway buoy off Sailors' Home. round West minefield buoy, leaving both to back to starting line, crossing E, to W. Race to finish by 5.30 n.m. or it is off. The match is exciting some interest and is expected to result races the former has to allow the latter 4min. 66 econds per mile.

Mr. G. P. Lammert: Their disposal naturally excited considerable interest and there was large crowd of sporting gentlemen present Hero, was first put up, the bidding starting at \$200. This was very speedily run up to over pony was knocked down at \$350 to Mr. Aubert f Shanghai, who with the late Mr. Cole was was even more spirited than for his stable companion. Mr. Hart Buck ran the price up to of Majestic also secured Bovril. The opinion was generally expressed that the ponies had sold seen whether they were not cheap at the price.

Mr. W. Freezr has arrived in the Colony and will give his celebrated monologue en tertainment "Frivolity" at the City Hall next week. Mr. Freear brings the high powers, and if the recommendations are not eraggerated we may anticipate seeing one the most talented erformers in the comic and kok contemporary in noticing a performance given there recently writes :- To say that Mr Freezr is a most accomplished mimic and exfaint idea to those who have not seen him. The muke-up was above all praise and the rapidity and varied programme, not only without the pourtrayed the numerous characters he simulated and the rapid transition from grave to gay, from

In connection with a fire which occurred at ment Gazette of 3rd December ultimo. even if reconstruction has to be resorted to Shanghai recently the proprietor of a furniture shop and his cook have been subjected to perse. Lordship's consideration, that in Committee of cution owing to an official establishment next Council on the Appropriation Bill for 1893, the to keep the spirit of Volunteering alive in door to the furniture shop having been destroyed. votes of the official members—each of schom The N. C. Daily News of the 16th inst. says: were directly and personally interested from a The tortured cook of Mr. Wu Kuei-fung, pecuniary point of view in the rejection of the the furniture dealer in the Nanking Road amendments proposed and supported unaniwhose premises were recently burnt down, mously by the unofficial members for reduction has been released from prison in the city of salaries, generally-should not have been on making a kind of confession, to the tendered or accepted; that their votes were effect that when he woke up the place was on fire illegal and void ; that the amendments proposed and he could not tell where the fice originated, by the unofficial members should have been de We mentioned on Friday that the police here clared to have been carried, and should have thought that it did begin in the furniture shop; been embodied in the Bill as reported from the but we learn from the fireman who was first on the Finance Committee. The unofficial members spot that when he got there one of the inside houses believe that on principle and by every rule was on fire, and the furniture shop was still of parliamentary practice and procedure, intact. Meantime the Canton Guild here and official members of Council, were disqualified munion in the Peak Church to-morrow at 8 a.m. | Intage, meantaine the Canton countries and deter from voting on the occasion in question, and mined to have full reparation from the city submit that the Bill should have been allowed magistrate for his unjust dealing with the dealer to pass as amended by the unofficial members in and his cook, and for the illegal terturing of Finance Committee of the Council. the latter. They have laid the whole matter The un filoisi members of Conneil beg continues shrouded in boundless uncertainty and reply to this letter direct to the unofficial membefore the Provincial Treasurer (Faniai) at further to submit, for your Lordship's con-We (N. O. Daily News) understand that the do so for some time to come, "as we are al. total value of the property destroyed in the fortunately for them, a Cantonese, and it is to creased salaries question, so that in dealing explain this matter to the best of his ability that with it you may have before you not only the it is notorious in the colony that a number of for the Colonies and have received neither acthe Taotai, H.E. Nieh, has gone to Scoobow, official view but also the popular aspects of it, the steamers calling here have not been paying knowledgment nor reply. It was only in anbaving left for the provincial capital on Friday and that you may be able to understand the connight. We have already mentioned that an im- nection which undoubtedly exists between this suffered peopplarily in sympathy with the ex- there had been any communication at all on the perial edict prohibiting the nee of torture ap special question and the general financial con- coedingly unsatisfactory state of shipping all subject of our letters.—We have the honour to peared in the Peking Gazette only three or four dition of the Colony, and the repeated efforts over the world. Shipping is undoubtedly of the be, my lord, your Lordship's most obedient ing on the floor of the House the Diet will be weeks ago, and it is therefore likely to go hard unavailingly made for some time past by the very first importance to the Colony, but the humble servants, able to claim an equality with some of the with the city magistrate, who is a thoroughly unofficial members to get from the Colonial Go- alleged increase of tennage can in no measure old-fashioned official, of the most obstructive vernment au independent examination into the be reasonably construed as shewing any increase type. All foreigners as well as Chinese will steady and constant increase in the aggregate of prosperity in trade here. Such a deduction have reason to thank the Canton Guild if their cost of the administration of the Government, efforts on belialf of their computriot result in which we regard as exceptionally heavy if not the discontinuance of the use of torture on un- excessive.

Falconer & Co.'s was 48 and at the Observatory than refer your Lordship, in proof of this, to Sir ton. The steamers carrying these merely pass the readings w re, at 10 n.m. 55, and at 4 p.m. Wm. Des Vour's exhaustive despatch of Slet through our waters, but the inclusion of their

The steamer Copiek, which arrived at Shang-Oppack was drawing 17 feet 6 inches and there of progress, etc., etc. was not much water to spare.

The Shenpao reports a recent attempted rising at a place about thirty miles from Newchwang, the insurgents being led by two Taoist priests, whose athletic and acrobatic feats seemed to have secured the adherence of their deluded followers, who numbered nearly a thou-To morrow morning, between 9 and 10.30 sand men; but who disappeared the moment the Bothel flag, will call alongside any vessel beien of Kaiping, leaving their followers to hoisting code pennant C., to convey men ashore the tender mercies of the Imperialists. Only tion, nearly t. o bundred of the insurgents being For supplying a prisoner in Victoria Gaol with taken themselves to the hills.

> tion, and steamers have been doing so badly of and the third was the decline in the export of late that there is not likely to be any deep ob. Chinese tea owing to the competition of India 1889-1890. The fall has been great; though

16th inst. As was to be expected from our ex- siderably in almost all instances; immense sums perience in Hongkong, exceptionally severe of money had been lost through unprefitable weather has prevailed in the North. Sunday trade in tobacco planting in British North was the coldest day for fifteen years, the Borneo, mining ventures in the Malay Peninice on the ponds was some inches thick and on course of liquidation; the unprecedentedly the morning of Monday the Scoohow creek was violent fluctuations in the gold value of silver the river was frozen over at Woosung. The trade not only unprofitably but disastrously bad dred people being on the Club pond on the last | the Government's opium form, which was at that the most eager figures was a Chinaman who said income. This state of affines was aggravated he had learnt to skate in "Boston. Mass." Owing by the military contribution to the imperial to the severe cold beggars have been found Government from the colony being increased frozen to death at the doors of shops in the city. from £20,000 to £40,000 per annum, or to

THE UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS AND THE COST OF ADMINISTRATION.

their deaths in this way.

the Unofficial Members of the Legislative Councial against alarming increase in cost of Ad ministration and with reference to their position and treatment in the Council" have been for. warded to us by the Hon. C. P. Chater, on by the establishment of a municipality with year, February. With the beginning of the behalf of the unofficial members, with a request for publication :-

Hongkong, 14th January, 1893. Honourable the Marquis of Ripon, Her Ma- annual estimates. Lord Rantsford finally inequitable in our moving accordingly. jesty's Principal Secretary of State for the directed the payment for 1891 of the increased In His Excellency the Governor's address

partly in cipher if possible, to the Right Hon- was open to reconsideration and reduction in . The unofficial members beg leave to point out laid on the Council table a protest against the the colony. starboard, pass south of the Meance, then the subject has now been received by your Exvour most obedient servant.

C. P. CHATER. &o., &o., &o.

Legislative Council Chamber, Hongkong, 12th January, 1893. My Lord Marquis,

We, the unofficial members of the Legislative Council of Hougkong, have the honour to hand you herewith enclosed copy of a protest dated Hongkong the 13th day of December ultimo, laid by us on the table of the Council for record in the minutes of Council, under the provisions of Rule No. 32 of the Standing Rules and Orders. This protest is the formal expression of our dissent from the decision of the Council in reading a third time and passing by means of the official majority the Appropriation Ordinance for 1893—(Ordinance No. 12 of 1892) -in the form in which it has been assented to by the Governor and forwarded to your Lordship. We pray your Lordship to take this protest nto consideration, and to give effect to it. pray you further to advise her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen to refuse her assent to that

Ordinance. The main question debated in Council on the consideration of this Appropriation Bill was whether the salaries of the principal Civil servants of the colony should or should not be reduced to the scale in force in the colony in 1890. or whether provision should be made for their navment in 1893 at the rates authorized for

In the Finance Committee all the unofficial members (five) of Council voted quanimously torthe reduction of the salaries, and carried resoluions amending the estimates for 1893 in that sense and reducing the corresponding items in the Appropriation Bill. In Committee of Connoil. where the official members are always in a majority, these votes and items, as originally provellous that one man can perform such a trying posed, were restored by this official majority, against the unahimous vote of the nnofficial nal form and not as amended in Finance Committee, was read a third time, and passed. has since been assented to by his Excellency the Governor, in the name and on behalf of the Queen, and published in the Hongkong Govern-

The unofficial members submit, for your

der Kretschmann, his predecessor. Captain tried prisoners in the city, and it is only sur- In 1888 and 1889 this Colony was undoubtedly, Hellboff, having left in the last homeward bound prising that so comparatively enlightened a man so far as appearances went, in a very pros crous as Tautal Nich has not long since prohibited it, condition, and there was no reason to auticipate

The temperature yesterday was comparative- any serious alteration in its financial position in | The destination of nearly all the rice and mild. The minimum over-night at Massrs, the immediate future. We need not do more other imports from the northern ports is Can-October, 1889, to Lord Knutsford, then Her Ma- tonnage in our harbour statistics has led and

hal on the 6th just from Japan, succeeded in In that despatch our late Governor was able America, &c., in like manner swell the official getting safely up the river, and is the first deep to refer to the great wealth of the Colony, to tonnage returns, but in reality may add little to steamer which has used the new Feima channel, the increased market value of the shares in all our revenue, and many of them contribute no-Mr. Pil t Getley was in charge, and Captain registered companies in Hongkong to the on- thing to the trade profits, the steamers having morning for the purpose of enquiring into the tainty of a further increase therein, leading to thing to land in, or take from the colony. They The attention of shipmasters is directed to an possibility of using the channel, was also on a great enhancement of revenue from land sales, have to call for the sole purpose of transhipment board. We (Mercury) understand the channel crown rents, and an increased volume of taxa- of cargo and branch line requirements. is very parrow and dangerous at flood tide. The tion, and to a vast commerce in a healthy state

sordially supported, not only by the then no. in 1891, and \$519,000 00 estimated for 1892, to vants, compensating them in some way for the certain and precarious nature. then rise in the cost of living in the colony generally, but more especially in the item of shows alarge decrease. In 1890 it was \$90,217.87. house rest. The value of land in the colony in 1891 \$73.347.09; the revised estimate for 1892 at that time was indeed very great, and rents is only \$8,500 00, and the estimate for 1893 is were higher than they had ever been before. \$17,000.00. Early in 1889 a commission, composed entirely of mossicial members of Council (the Chairman and as elastic as when these augmentations in only excepted), recommended a general advance salaries were recommended. There was then a salaries all round. The theu Secretary large surplus revenue over ordinary expendi-State for the Colonies approved of the ture. The surpluses were:-

recommendations with various alterations and The N. C. Daily News learns that telegrams modifications and after prolonged consideration have been received at Shanghai announcing the and discussion in despatches and in Council a rewill presumably not be so ready to perform an reconstitution of the Steamer Conference, a step vised scale was approved and introduced nto the Estimated surplus in revenue in 1892 115,216.00 office of kindness to a friend again. which has been forced on the shipowners at home estimates for 1891. But, during the two years Estimated possible surplus in reby the ruinous rates to which freights have late. that had elapsed since the first proposals were Serious statements affecting Mr. Pearce a ly fallen. Six companies participate in it; the made, great changes had taken place in the finsolicitor at Kobe, have recently been made by P. & O., Holt's line, the Mutuals, the Glens, the ancial condition of the colony. In his speech efforts of the unofficial members, continues to the Kobe Chronicle, which has challenged the Bone, and the Shires; and we presume that it is not in the Council, on 19th March, 1891, Sir G. W. increase annually, and, we think, out of proporthe appointment of a Commission to inquire object of its aftack to institute an action for intended to raise the rates to a prohibitive level, Des Voux foreibly pointed out that the colony tion to the real needs of the colony. The figures into the general question of the cost of the libel. The challenge has been accepted and Mr. but only to put them on a fair living basis. The was suffering largely from three causes which are as follows:-administration. That request is now again instructions to institute proceedings, the damages from joining in any such agreement, on the restrictive legislation against Chinese in the respect Australasian Colonies and in America; another tive Governments. It has been judicially decid- was the increased cultivation of the poppy in The latest estimate for 1892 is 1,882.0 0.00 ed that a Conference is not an illegal combina: China, which had diminished our opium imports: While the estimate for 1893 is 1.899.611.00

jection here now to their combining to establish and Ceylon. Land had fallen greatly in value; the effect of this on the revenue has not yet we were large over built in the city of been felt. The annual valuations have hardly yet Victoria, at the Peak, Magazine Gap, and at been altered. It was solely on the ground of the We have received Shanghai papers to the Kowloon; house rents were going down conminimum temperature at Sicawei being 13 de eula and elsewhere, and a number of the new grees, and in the settlement 14, the maximum local enterprises had not yet yielded any return being 20.5, making the mean only 17.25. The on capital invested, while many others were in frozen. It is mentioned that in January, 1878. | bad paralyzed and rendered export and import newly formed Skating Club appears to have had resulting in heavy losses, and the Colony's rea capital inauguration. Skating was indulged venue showed every symptom of a serious falling in all day on Sunday and Monday, over a hun- off, more particularly the revenue derivable from named day, including a few ladies. Amongst period about one-fourth of the colony's total

It is stated that no less than eight have met nearly one-sixth of our total anutal revenue, on the ground that an increased garrison was essential Under these circumstances, and while the proation of the Secretary of State for final approval, the unofficial members of Council by telegram half of the unofficial members, to telegraph, a permanent increase, but as an increase that for economy and retrenchment

Supply Bill for 1893, and that our memorial on This being a brief history of the question of members of Council, is such that they are comcellency. We desire that the Secretary of State tained, as it has been, that the Civil servants interests of the colony, and in vindication of should be asked to postpone the operation of the have a vested interest in these increased salaries | their own rights and powers as guardians of the Bill until our protest and memorial have been and that the unofficial members are guilty of a public purse. If any increase of expenditure is considered by his Lordship and the law officers grossly inequitable attack on vested interests in proposed locally and it happens to meet with of the Crown.-I have the honour to be, Bir, moving now for the reduction of these salaries the approval of the unofficial members of Counto their former level? We submit that it can cell they are consulted and their opinions are not be so maintained. The power to re-examine cited to your Lordship as justifying the expen-His Excellency Sir William Robinson, K.C.M.G., and re-adjust them if necessary was specially diture. It is they who have voted for it. If they reserved, and the recipients were officially can disapprove they are too often ignored and given tioned that they were not to look upon the in- to understand that their votes and opinions are creased salaries paid in 1891 as a permanent valueless and that their presence in Council mprovement.

> cultivation of the poppy in China, which severely than before, and whether any improve-

built generally throughout the colony, and the when there are officers in the colony already building purposes sooner or later.

satisfactory? Undoubtedly not. Here (asin many your Lordship to the debates in Council on 10th other places) it is bad, and has been for the last | April, 1891, 7th December, 1891, and 9th May, two years probably worse than at any time in the 1892, as reported in Hongkong Hansards, 1890colony's history. There has been, unfortunate- 91, and 1891-92 ly, continued general commercial and financial The cost of the salaries and personal allowances epression, apprehension, anxiety, and suspense; there is a general want of confidence, credit is seriously contracted, and several of the most respectable and oldest established of our mercantile houses have, under the strain of continuous heavy trade losses, collapsed, while the violent fluctuations in exchange and the unprecedented decline in the gold value of silver have been the chief factor in bringing about the fell of the oldest Exchange Bank in the East, as well as largely contributing to the collapse of another banking institution whose banking assets recently were upwards of ten and threequarters millions of pounds sterling.

The trade of the adjoining province, Kwangtung (Canton), has not shewn any increase in the first nine months of 1892 as compared with the corresponding period of 1891; on the contrary, the Chinese Customs revenue shews a decrease of almost ten per cent, or over Tls. 415,000 cost of administration, and for economising The published returns of the Chinese Imparial Maritime Customs give :--Revenue for the first nine

months of 1891 Tls. 4,244,994,24 Revenue for the first nine months of 1892 Tis. 3, 29,906.57 the decrease for the first three-quarters of 1892 as compared with the same period of 1891, at Canton being over 5 percent, at Lappa (Masso) over 15 per cent, and at Chinese Kewloon over 20 per cent. The Chinese Customs revenue one consisting of the members of the com-

violent fluctuations in exchange are taking place. bers or to their doyen. We had occasion within Returns may shew some increase in the ton- the last year or two to address several letters to nage of shipping frequenting the harbour, but the Right Honourable the Secretary of State their running expenses, while nearly all have swer to questions in Connoil that we learned that is more or less fallacious. According to the estimates the revenue from light dues is on the

decrease. The figures are :--Revised estimate for 1892... 87.142.31 Estimate for 1893

jesty's Principal Secretary of State for the leads to erroneous deductions. A large number of the ocean steamers to and from Europe The colony's revenue from epium has not

ncreased or even been maintained. The rent A proposal was made at that time and most from the opium farm has fallen from \$389 900.00 official members of Council but by the community \$340,800.00 per anuum for the next three years. generally, to improve the pay of the Civil ser- The revenue from this source is of a most un-The revenue obtained from subsidiary coinage

The revenue of the colony is not as productive

In 1889. \$519,107.57 venue in 1893 Ordinary expenditure, in spite of all the

House rents are lower now than they were in great increase in house rents in the colony that Lord Knutsford sanctioned the increase salaries. (See his Lordship's Despatch of 3rd April, 1891, more particularly para, 12.) The Governor recognized plainly in his statement to the Council at the opening of the present session the need of retrenchment in

every direction, and said :-"In the public service vested interests cannot "be disregarded, and all retrenchments con-"sequently must be more or less of a pro-"spective nature. I have publicly stated "that when opportunities arise I will take "advantage of them, but time is required "to offeet all such reforms. The Civil Ser-"vice is to a certain extent over-officered. "and the salaries of the elerical service are "capable of reduction as vacancies occur." In his despatches to your Lordship he tells us

that he has recommended reductions of salaries. amalgamation of offices, abolition of appointments as opportunities offer; and has had to ask your sanction for a loan. He evidently agrees with us that the present rates of salary are high, posed increase in salaries was under consider. for he has recommended and carried a very considerable reduction in the salary of the new Registrar of the Supreme Court, and he proposes to and by letter entreated his Lordship in the then I do the same with all offices as opportunities occur. The following correspondence and "Protest of generally uncatisfactory condition of the Colony | The Governor confesses that there is need of to withhold his canction from the proposed in- retrenchment and reform, that some of the salacrease, and allow the whole matter to stand over ries are too high and ought to be reduced, and until it was seen whether the Colony could or that the official staff is too numerous. We are would recover from its then state of financial also decidedly of His Freelleney's opinion and and general depression. The payment of the en- consider that the circumstances which appeared hanced rates of salary in the Colony was actually to justify the 1891 increase no longer exist; suspended for nearly six months pending the re- that an annual economy of \$35,000 or \$40,000 sult of this appeal to the Secretary of State, and or more may be easily effected without delay Civil servants were expressly warned by the Ga- and without hardship, and that as increases were vernor that if payment was made it would be granted and paid upon the express condition that Sir, I beg to enclose herein a memorial, only for the year, and that the whole quest they were open to early reconsideration there dated the 12th instant, from the unofficial tion of salaries was open for reconsiders is no vested interest to be affected by their members of the Legislative Council to the Most tion and revision in the next and following revision, and that there is nothing unjust or

Colonies, and three copies thereof, and on their rates of salary, on the allegations that house herein before referred to be aumits that the behalf I have to ask that your Excellency will rent for Europeans had increased from 100 state of affairs now, so far as figures is concernbe good enough to forward the original by next to 150 per cent, and for Chinese 100 per cent, ed. cannot be considered entirely satisfactory. Distinct official caution was given to the officers | We quite share in this view, and as to the I have further to ask your Excellency, on concerned that it was not to be looked upon as future we keenly feel the imperative necessity

ourable the Secretary of tate for the Colonies the next or any following year, if there was to your Lordship that their position in the to the effect that on the 13th December last we no improvement in the financial condition of Conneil, and their treatment on many financial questions by the Government and by the official the increase in official salaries, can it be main. pelled to take this step for the protection of the might well be dispensed with, and that it is for Is there any justification now for the present | the Executive Government and for your Lordendeavour to reduce the increased salaries to the ship to determine what is necessary and proper, If a demand is made on the public purse for The three causes, referred to by Sir G. W. any purpose disapproved of by the Government Des Voeux, vis., restrictive legislation, against or not cordially supported, the responsibility of Chinese in Australia and America: the increased | rejecting it is thrown on the unofficial members. The unofficial members have recently objected diminishes our opium imports; and the decline and objected frequently to the creation of new in the export of Chinese tea, owing to the com- offices, and the consequent increase in the public petition of India and Caylon, are still causing charges without their ever being consulted, or the Colony to suffer more largely and more having even an opportunity of expressing an opinion on the matter. They are asked to vote ment can be looked for in the immediate future the money needed when it is impossible to refuse it. They object to the appointment of additional Land has not improved in value; it is lower cadets when there are cadets still unprovided. now then it has been for a number of years; for, and to the manufacture of posts to give and land sales have fallen off. It is improbable | them salaries when they become too old to be that the value of land will improve for some styled as cadets. They object to the appointtime to come, as we are already largely over ment of new men to official posts in the colony relamation of new land, along the Praya central | qualified to fill the vacancies without work to do westwards from the sea, will be available for | The unofficial members have asked the Colonial Government on three different occasions since Is the general trade of the colony either April last for a Commission to enquire into the amongst Chinese or Europeans profitable or even | whole question of public expenditure. We refer

> aloge has risen as follows:--In 1887,\$547,650 1888,\$552,87 1889, \$602,183 1891,\$758,139 (estimated); Estimated for 1892 about \$774,000, and possibly still larger estimated amount for 1893, hence our motion for reduction to the 1890 basis, with the view to general retrenchment, and the strictest economy which we regard as absolutely

The nucfficial members of Council beg t point out to your Lordship that although there may possibly be some difference of opinion in the colony on the question of official salaries, there is no division of opinion as to the necessity for a reduction in the as well as for a reformation in the constitution of the Legislative Council, and as to the useless. ness in the Council as at present constituted of the presence of an unofficial element which is

habitually overruled by the official vote. We further beg to ask your Lordship's special reference to the proceedings in the Council as reported in the Hongkong Dutly Press of 8th and 22nd December ultimo, and posted herewith. We ask that an independent Commission, i.e. may safely be regarded as an index to the varia- munity unconnected with Government or at tions in trade; and even the decreased volume least of a majority of such persons, should be thereof, for the reasons before mentioned, has in appointed with full power to investigate and remeny instances resulted unprofitably. Trade port on the cost of the Administration.

cannot improve while the gold value of silver | We venture to hope that your Lordship will C. P. CHATEB.

> Ho Kai. T. H. WHITEHEAD. E. R. BELILIOS. J. J. BELL-IRING. The Most Honourable the Marquis of Ripon. Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, &c., &c., &c., Downing Street, London.

3rd day of December instant. Council in the Finance Committee and in the son the defendant.

salaries in excess of the amounts approved by us in no case could more than the amount of the principle" strikes they call them. In fact they in the Finance Committee as reported. Members of Council are legally incapable of to judgment, he having already paid more than and tyrants not only of the port of London, but Haipborg was of every port in the kingdom.

Pecuniarily interested. They are disqualified on liable under the bond. Mr. Wilkinson cited the The result of it all, according to the maniprinciple and by the law of Parliament formally statute of 8 and 9 Will. III., C. 11, and several festo, is that the tools and victims are walking declared in a recent case in England, and we cases, including one of White v. Scaley 1 Doug the streets starying while their loaders are in Barometer falling. Gradients very moderate for N.W. weather five, dry, and mild, (Issued at 10.30 a.m.) present and declare that the votes of the official 49, in which it was held that where there is a good positions among the upper ten. mambers of Council on the Appropriation Bill, bond for payment of rent the bond was only The manifesto goes on to say that unions which so far as the question of official salaries was con-security to the amount of the penalty.

ornied, were noll and void and of no effect.

Mr. Hastings on behalf of the plaintiff con-able to prove that the area of employment is We claim that the amendments proposed in tended that the plaintiff could continue to

Committee of Council for the reduction of offi. claim against the defendant se long as on each cial salaries to the scale in force in 1890 were | cocasion the claim did not exceed \$5,000. duly carried by a majority of legal votes; that the votes recorded against the amendments were null and void and ought not to have been counted, and that the Appropriation Bill ought THE COURSE OF BUSINESS IN THI to have been reported and passed with these

For the reasons above given we formally and unnnimonsly protest against the so-called Appropriation Ordinance for 1893 as published, and | yesterday morning Mr. E. J. Ackroyd, Paisue declare it not to have been duly passed by this Judge, had occasion to make some remarks upon Honourable Council and not to be law.

(Signed) C. P. CHATER. Ho Kar. T. H. WHITEHEAD. E. R. BELILIOS.

Hongkong, Colonial Secretary's Office.

Sir, I am directed to inform you that the wasted upon them proving a lot of facts that It is also given out that the dignity of memorial enclosed in your letter of 14th instant | ought to be admitted. I sat the whole of Monday | Knighthood will be conferred upon Broad (received on 16th instant) has been forwarded to on two cases which if the solicitors had not been hurst whenever the present Government should the Secretary of State by this day's mail. I am also to inform you that the Governor te- hour. of State to the effect that the unofficial members a general rule solicitors gain by these cases. desired that the Appropriation Ordinance for His Lordship-A mass of evidence is often 1893 might not be given effect to pending the produced which has no bearing on the matter at on the reassembling of Parliament, Right Honrescipt of their memorial.

There is apparently a clerical error in the dates of the newspapers stated in the last paragraph but two of the memorial to have been posted to to know what we are about. the address of the Secretary of State, and I am to enquire what newspapers were so posted. No copies were received with the memorial.—I have which if admitted would not influence the case the honour to be, sir, your most obedient servant. one way or another, and in the proving of which (Sd.) G. T. M. O'BRIEN. a great deal of time is lost. Colonial Secretary.

The Honourable C. P. Chater, &c., &c., &c.

Hongkong, 20th January, 1893. Sir.—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 88 of 19th instant informing mo of State to the effect that the unofficial mem- by the recent plague of locusts in Kiangsu pro bers desired that the Appropriation Ordinance vince. As soon as he landed he paid an official for 1893 might not be given effect to, pending visit to the Governor first and then to his father. receipt of their memorial. I beg you please to He is a Taotai în rank. kindly convey to His Excellency the thanks of It is notified in the Government Gazetto that or to on are the Hingkong Daily Press mail sup the form of digging the field. reports of the meetings of the Legislative Coun- ficial seals shall be locked up from the 5th procil held on 80th November and 14th Decamber | rime to the 7th March, being the first month of by next mail to Europe. - I have the honour to portant cases, such as robbery and kidnapping, ba, sir, your most obedient servant.

(Sd.) C. P. CHATER. The Honourable G. T. M. O'Brien, C.M.G., nor held an inspection on the North Parade Colonial Secretary.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS

Gentlemen willing to take an active part in the formation of the proposed Volunteer force are invited to put themselves in communication with the Recruiting Committee appointed by His Excellency the Governor at the public meeting held at the City Hall on the 19th December last. The members of the Committee are :-J. J. Francis, Esq., Q.C., Chairman. The Honourable J. H. Stewart Lockhart.

Lient.-Colonel J. Jerrard. Captain McCallum, H.K.V. J. Armstrong, Esq.

who will be found at their offices daily from 2 to 4 p.m. prepared to give all needful explanations and to enrol members. The Committee will sit regularly on Tuesdays

Q.C., Bank Buildings, from 4 to 5 p.m. The force will be on the same footing as are Volunteers in England; that is to say: They are liable in case of war to be called up for active service and will then be under military command says, regarding the proposed fast Atlantic mail and subject to military law, receiving the same service in connection with his company, that the pay as regularly enlisted soldiers, and being enti- report that his road had made a proposition to tled to pansions for wounds, &c . &c. They will not the Government about it was not correct. be required to serve out of the colony and will be Canadian Pacific itself, he said, had no desire to led by their own officers. In peace time, they embark in a steamship enterprise on the At are at liberty to leave at any time on 14 days lantic. It will only be in the event of no notice; will only be under military command body else being willing to undertake it that the when voluntarily exercising or on duty together railway company will have anything to do with with the regular troops; will be subject to such the steamship service.
regulations as to drill, discipline, and efficiency OPPRESSION as His Excellency the Governor may appoint, and will be annually inspected by a regularly

denuted Military Officer. The Government will defray all expenses of only in places where official Boards of Trade the Corps other than the cost of uniforms of exist, the pretence being that Jews can thus be commissioned officers.

It is desired to establish one Battery of Ar- supervision. tillery and 3 Machine Gun Companies, all the Official Boa ds of Trade exist only in about memb rs to be trained also in the use of the 10 per cent, of the towns in Russia and the machine guns will be provided to and from place | misery and oppression under which the Russian

will consist of 1 Captain and 3 Lieutenants and willing to receive them or not. their own men, the Lieutenants by the half Jews to the frontier, and the Russian and his opinion was subsequently concempanies or sections, the Captain by the com- thereties who are anxious to get rid of the Town.

The uniform of the Field Battery will remain in affairs. as at present, that of the machine gun companies | A SAMPLE CASE IN THE COURT OF CHANGERY will be a matter for future consideration, a working dress only being provided for the ensuing drill season.

twice a day. Volunteers will also be expected to was a ward in chancery. Her little fortune attend at least one parade monthly during the amounted to \$2,000. The costs of the court for recommendation of the Major General. Volunteers by the 31st of January instant, and charging the dwindling estate \$400 for its indrthe Committee hope, for the credit of the colony, ment, that this number will be largely exceeded.

JNO. J. FRANCIS. J. H. Stewart Lockhart. JERRARD. McCallum.

ABMSTBONG:

SUPREME COURT.

20th January. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION PUISNE JUSTICE.

ment Gasette of the 3rd instant as having been through his agents Messrs. Linstead and Davis men of London £952,000 in wages alone, and passed by this Honourable Council on the Oth to recover two months' rent, &c., of premises proved the greatest curse that ever visited this · day of November, 1892, and as having been as leased by the plaintiff to a man named Choung city. sented to by His Excellency the Governor, in Yuk Chuen, the due performance of the coventhe name and on behalf f the Queen, on the ants for payment of rent, &c., under which lease leaders with being the authors of the strikes rehad been secured by the defendant Mr. C. P. ferred to. The policy of the lenders, if declares. We protest against the inclusion in that Madur by a bond in the penal sum of \$5.000.

SUPREME COURT.

His Lordship reserved judgment.

Upon taking his seat in the Supreme Court the unnecessary length of the hearing of a num-

small cases take up too much time. "Time is as the champion of the masses."

Mr. Dennys—Those are complicated cases. His Lordship - Well, we must have pleadings the House of Commons, a nominal office, but Mr. Dennys—I have no objection to pleadings, shape of \$11,000: His Lordship-There are a great many facts

G. T. M. O'BRIEN. a great deal of time is lost. The business of the Court was then proceeded

CANTON NOTES.

Li King-cho, the second son of His Excelthat the memorial enclosed in my communica- lenoy Li Han-chang, arrived at Canton on the tion of 14th instant has been forwarded to the 18th instant. He has been sent by His Excel-Secretary of State by yesterday's mail. and in- lency Lau Kwan yit, the Vicercy of two Kiangs, timating that His Excellency the Governor to sell official rank in order to raise funds for telegraphed on the 17th idem to the Secretary the relief of the sufferers from the famine caused

the unofficial members for his having done so. | the 29th instant the prefect and the Nanhoi and No acknowledgment of my letter having been | Pun Yu Magistrates will as usual go to the received the newspapers referred to in the last | East Parade Ground to welcome the forthcomparagraph but two of the memorial were not ing Spring. A great procession will be posted to the address of the Secretary of State held in honour of the occasion. The Prefect, by yesterday's mail. The newspapers in quest as part of the seremony, will have to go through

are to be tried. On the 18th instant His Excellency the Gover-

Ground of the private soldiers engaged by the regular syndicate, and the gains were consider- Hongkong & C. Gas. residents of the different streets in the city. There were fifty-five companies in all each company numbering from sixty to one hundred braves. The Governor was very pleased and gave the Government has stopped the guessing and Hongkong Rope......

to each soldier one hundred cash and a present to placed all the stakes under embargo in the Bank H. & W. Dock...... to each soldier one hundred cash and a present to the officers. The inspection was not finished till

A proclamation has recently been issued by the Governor to the effect that anyone desiring to organise a procession in the city must register his name as a security that if any disaster havpen he will be responsible. The object of the proclamation is to discourage extravagance and learease the risk of fire and robbery.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The P. M. steamer Peru, with the American mail of the 24th ult., arrived yesterday. Th and Fridays at the Chambers of Mr. Francis, following telegrams are from San Francisco

CANADIAN PACIFIC PLANS

MONTREAL, 17th December. Van Horne, president of the Canadian Pacific.

OPPRESSION OF THE JEWS. ST. PETERSBURG, 17th December. The Russian Government has promulgated a law requiring that Jewish artisans shall reside kept more effectively under official regulation and

rifls or carbine. Pony druft for both field and decree therefore means a vast addition to the Jews already labour. Many thousands of Jewish It is suggested that friends and acquaintances artisans will be compelled to remove from the should combine to form a gun detachment of 12 towns in which they are located to enter the returning to Paris, instead of remaining at the Old (8 to 4 years') Malwa \$540 1 to 3 Artillery) of 24 men, or even a complete Com- The object of the new law is believed to be to start the Jews to stirring again and drive them

those of each company of I Captain and 2 | The partial embarge on emigration to America Lieutenants. Such officers to be elected by had caused a cessation of the rush of Russian companies or sections, the Captain by the com- thorities, who are anxious to get rid of the Jeva pany or battery. Such election to be subject without absolutely bayoneting them across the to the approval of His Excellency the Governor. | border, have been much irritated by the change

LONDON. 18th December. Another striking instance of the miscarriage I justice which has made the English Court of One month in the year (the month of March | Chancery a crying disgrace to civilization went being at present proposed) will be set apart for upon record last week. A thrifty mechanic mer-the annual training, when drills will take place ried two or three years ago a young woman who rest of the year. The minimum number of at- settling that sum upon her, by the way, were 8500. tendances and other requirements to enable a A few months ago she became ill of a pulmousry Volunteer to be deemed efficient will be here affection and her physician ordered her to a after fixed by the Governor in Council on the warmer climate as the only means of eaving her life. Her husband was poor and applied to the Gentlemen are reminded that the proposal for court for permission to use a portion of her funds | Everyone should keep up strength by taking obtaining a vote of the Legislative Council for for the purpose of obeying the doctor's orders. funds to establish and maintain the corps is con- The court occupied six months in considering ditional on the envoluent of not less than 120 the matter and hen denied, the application.

Meantime the poor woman had died, as the doctor said she would. IVEANNY OF THE BRITISH TRADE UNIONS. LONDON, 1-th December.

salutary effect in the shape of a reaction against the tyrnny of organized labour. A manifesty issued this week by the Free Labour Association is being received with many expressions of sympathy among the unemployed. The document note forth that there are in London alone 100,000 men with 300,000 women and children dependsent time, chiefly owing to the continued strikes Tokio in all trades during the last three years, which Nagasaki MANSON v. MADAR. have driven tons of shipping into the hands of This was an action brought by Dr. Manson foreigners, displaced 20,000 mon, cost the work-

The manifesto proceeds to charge the union has been to crush the dockowners, shipowners. Hollow Ordinance, contrary to the unanimous votes and Mr. Hastings (Messrs. Wetton and Descon's wharingers and other employers. While with Halphong opinions of all the unofficial members of the office) represented the plaintiff and Mr. Wilkin. a loud voice they claimed freedom of action for Holings themselves they did their best, it is claimed, to Blania committee of the Council, of large sums for the More than 18 months ago Chenng Yuk Chaen stiffe it in others. They and their agents, it is salaries of the Civil servante of the colony in had absocuded and thereupon and thereafter the said, mercilessly crushed and debarred from excess of the amounts voted and approved by all rent, &c., payable under the lease had been demand. Work all who were unwilling or unable to pay the under the unofficial members in the Finance ('ommittee ed by the plaintiff's agents from the defendant money into their unions. They stopped ships Nagasaki and reported to the Council, and far in excess by virtue of the bond and until the present time for the most frivolous reasons without any Shanghai of what, in our opinion, are necessary or the the defendent had paid, the amounts altogether regard for the pecuniary loss of the owners or Foosbow penalty be recovered the defendant was entitled attempted to assume the position of dictators Hollow

thereby increased are a curso to the country and an enemy to all classes and should not be tolerated by workingmen.

EMIN PASHA STILL ALIVE. Berlin, 20th December. Advices dated November 20th declare that the report At the death of Emin Pasha is erroneous. He was following Stanley's route through the Congo State land except for an affection of his eyes was in exceptionally good health. A LABOUR LEADER GIVEN AN IMPORTANT WELL SALARIED OFFICE.

London, 22nd December. Gladstone has again recognized the support Dated Hongkoug, this 13th day of December, ber of summary cases. Upon some cases being given to the liberal movement by the tradesunion element by appointing Henry Broadhurst Mr. Dennys said-These cases were fixed, my to be Chief Inspector of Factories, at a salary lord, for Thursday last. Perhaps you will take of \$7,000 yearly and an allowance of \$2,500 for them on Wednesday next. I understand that expenses. Broadhurst is one of the most reyou will be engaged on Monday and Tuesday, presentative of the professional labouring men Mr. Reece is in one case and Mr. Wright in the of England, having been for years Secretary of the Parliamentary Committee of the Trades "His Lordship-Gentlemen, I find that their Congress, and is known in trades-union circles

there would have been disposed of in half an goout of office, and if this promise is fulfilled he he will be the first working man in the history legraphed on the 17th instant to the Secretary Mr. Dennys-I do not think, my lord, that as of Great Britain to receive a title at the hands of the Queen. The announcement will shortly be made that ourable J. Stansfeld, ex-Postmaster-General.

> which has attached to it a little "tip" in the NEW GERMAN PARTY. LONDON, 23rd December. The Berlin correspondent of the Times, disoussing the new German political party which is still in embryo, says the party has grown out of the triumphant progress of Prince Bismarck last summer through Munich, Kissingen. and Jena. The party will consist of Bismarckian enthusiants. Its programme will favour bimetallism, anti-Semitism, and a progressive colonial policy; in short, consistent opposition all along the line to the Emperor.

A TENNYSON MANUSCHITT BOLD. LONDON, 23rd December. The original manuscript of "Poems by Two Brothers" was sold at auction to day for \$2.200. with copyright reserved. They were poems written by Alfred Tennyson and his brother

THE "MISSING WORD" CONTESTS. LONDON. 18th December. Even royalty was in the "missing word" contests. Prince Henry of Battenberg was a regular competitor. He was among the winners of a recent drawing, but his £17 is impounded with the rest. "Batty" works his points from the oastle at Windsor. He said it was the most interesting and harmless gamble ever invented China Sugar and it seemed to him a pity to stop it. The craze captivated all London. It was alike Dakin, Cracks k& Co

ul imo respectively, and these we will forward the Chinese year, and that zone but the most im. in mansion and hotel. The millionaire's shilling Dairy Farm Co. was sent for fun. while the working girls and Fenwick & Co., Geo. salesmen played for the stakes. Sixty coupons Green Island Cement were bought by the Royal Guards at Whitehall . H. Brick & Cement. and the St. James' Palace mess had formed a H. & C. Batery able from time to time. Now the question is, what is to be done with the money which the promoters have in hand, as H. & K. Wharf & G. of England? It is confronted with a condition and not a theory. It has no right to the Hotels-\$120,000 now lying in the massive vaults in

l'breadneedle street. Various suggestions have been made for its disposal. Lady Burdett Coutts would like to have a ward endowed in some big hospital where poor women could receive treatment gratis. The Horse Guards mess incline to the idea of building a handsome lifeboat with the money and christening the craft "The Missing Word." Undoubtedly the mania produced minor crimes. Office boys played the "guess" with their employer's posts to stamps here and there. Taken as a whole however, it was as harmless

as rollor-skating. LONDON, 21st December. A decision has been handed down in the case of the Queen against Pearson's Weekly, one of the papers conducting " missing word " competitions. which was stopped by the courts because the scheme was an infringement of the gaming act. When the decision was made the proprietors had on hand money sent in with guesses amounting to \$120,000, and the question arose as to what disposition could be made of it. The addresses of the persons who had not guessed the proper word had been destroyed, so it was impossible to return the money, and the rule of the court prevented its distribution among those who had guessed the missing word. The Judge to-day ordered Pearson's Weekly to pay the money into court. Probably it will revert to the crown.

BARON ROTHSCHILD WOUNDED WHILE PARTS, 18th December. While shooting over his estate at Ferrieres vestorday with a party of friends, numbering thirty Baron Alphonse de Rothschild W'chai Wareh'se Co. was wounded by a glancing shot which entered the corner of his right eye. The accident was probably the result of a fog, which made it difficult for the shooters to see each other. Baron Rothschild, although suffering intense pain, showed great coolness and did his best to This years New Malwa \$520 allay the anxiety of his guests, who insisted on Two years old Malwa ... \$530 1 to 4

Dr. Galezowski, who was summoned by tele-The officers of the Battery when complete over the frontier, whether other countries are mination, after which he declared that absolute rest in a dark room for a fortnight was necessary. He prenenced the eye uninjured, how-PARIS, 21st December.

Strong fears are entertained that Baron Alphones Rothschild will lose his eye as a result of the shooting accident on Sunday. It is probable that a nerve has been touched and it may be necessary to remove the eye. The Figuro this morning, however, contrary to last night's report, says that Rothschild is in no danger of losing his eye. The nerve was touched, but the inflammation is subsiding and recovery is only a Galf, with high see, hove ship to for 48 hours, question of days.

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THE WEATHER. MESSRE, PALCONER & CO.'s REGISTER, JAN. 20TH. Barometer, 9 A.m. ... 30.18 Phorus, 9 a.m. (Wetbulb) 47 Harometer 1 r.m., 80,00 Thorn 1 r.m. (Wet bulb) 50 Barometer 4 P.M. 30.07 Therm. 11.M. (Wethulb) 52 Thermom. Sta. Men all Therm. Maximum 58 The distress in London growing out of the en- Thermon, 1 p. r. 56 Therm. Minimum toyer forced idleness of many thousands is having one Thermon, 4 p.m., 88

SHANGHAI SHIPPING. METEOROLOGICAL ERGISTER. 19rn JANUARY, AT 4 P.M. January— 14. Telemachus, British str., from Liverpool. 14. Heinfung, Chinese str., from Hongkong. 14. Hasshin, Chinese str., from Foochow. BTATION. 14. Taukushi Maru, Jap. str., from Japan. 15. Paoting, British str., from Hongkong. 15, Oopack, British str., from Nagasaki. 15. Glesfruin, British str., from London. 16. Newchwang, British str., from Swatow, 16. El Dorado, British str., from Swatow. 80,40 87 16, Wolf, Gorman gunboat, from Chinkiang. 14. Mirapore, British str., for London. 14, Kobe Maru, Jananese str., for Nagasaki. 14, Nanyang, German str., for Chinkiang. 14. Kintuck, British str., for Kobe. 14. Tungchow, British str., for Chefoo. 15. Teviot. British str., for Kobe. 15. Singan, British str., for a moy Cape S. James ... RANSATIANTICFIREINSORANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the allove Company, are prepared to Amoy 30,28 ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Hongkong, 16th November, 1873 TORTHBRITISH IND MESCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. TOTAL ASSETS AT 31ST DECEMBER. -AUTHORISED CAPITAL. 23,967,000 & SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL ... 2,750,000 HONGKONG REGISTER. Pravious On date On date pared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at linclusive. Barometer Current Rates.

30,26 55 'ampersture 59 W Hamidity Direction of wind ... W.N.W. 3—Humipire in percentage of saturation, the humidity of ir saturated with moisture being 100. air saturated with moisture being 100.

4—Direction of the Wind to two points.

5—Force of the Wind according to Beaufort Scale.

6—State of the Weaher: b. blue sky c. detached clouds; d. detaling rate; f. for; g. gloomy; h. haii; l., lightning; o. overcast; p. passing showers; q. qually; r., rain; a. snow; t. thunder; y. visibility w. dow (wet).

A DOBERCK. Assistant Mateorologist. Hongkong Observatory, January 20th, 1893. COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

FRIDAY, 20TH JANUARY. CLOSING QUOTATIONS. Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight 2/83 Sank Bills, at 4 months sight 29 Cradita at 4 months sight 293 Dooumentary Bills, 4 months' sight 2 94 PARIS. will be appointed Chairman of the committee of Credits, at 4 months' sight3.50 IN GERMANY. On demand 2.76 IN NEW YORK.--Bank Bills, on demand 661 N ROMBAY.—

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\$50 | \$4. sellers \$21.50 | 853, nom \$8 121. buyers \$100 | \$524, buyers H. H. L. Tramways. \$25 | \$C7, sellers . **5**50 | **£45**, sellers] \$125 | 77 per cent.== Austin Arms \$50 | \$4. Bellers Hongkong Hotel.. **\$**50 | \$22 \$20 non. Do. New Issue ... \$15 | \$5. nom. Shameen Insuranco:--350 \$100, sales Canton \$20 **\$87** buyers China Fire

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The Chinese steamer Hein Fung, from Shanghai 17th Jan,, had strong winds from the N.W and N.E. and high sea throughout the passige, with dull cloudy weather. The British steamer Southow, from Wuhu, Chinklang 14th Jan., and Swatow 18th, had Shareholders or not. strong N.W. breeze and heavy sea first part of

voyage; latter part light breese and fine weather. The British steamer Acochie, from Hongay 14th Jan. had strong N.H. gale in Tonquin From Heinan Straits had strong N.E. monsoon to port.

The British steamer Teinan, from Yokohama 5th Jan. Robe 7th and Nagasaki 18th, experienced strong N.W. winds, high sea and cloudy weather to Narasaki: thence experienced strong to fresh N.W. and N. winds and cloudy weather to Turnsbout; from thence to arrival moderate to light N. to N.E. winds and fine weather.

The American steams From San Francisco 25th Dec., had moderate N.W. gale for three days next ten days had strong and continned N.W. gale with heavy sea and swell; thence to Yokohama moderate N. W. gale. Left Yokohama 15th Jan., had strong N.W. winds FIRE at Current Rates. with high couldned seas for first three days; thence to post fresh to moderate monecon.

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of the SHAREHULDERS in this Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES on 31st December, 1892. CLOSED from SATURDAY the 21st to WED-NEBDAY the 25th January, 1893 (both days inclusive) during which period no Transfer of

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER. pany. Limited, General Agents the idth inst. for the West Point Building Company, Limited. Hongkong, 9th January, 1893.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO be expected here on the 21st cast. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HALF-YEARLY MEETING I.—Fine Funds

2.717.177 13 9 Anditors.

The Undersigned having been appointed The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company AGENTS for the above Company are pre- will be CLOSED from the 17th to 30th just.,

By Order of the Board of Directors.

Hongkong, 12th January, 1898. Assets, 31st December, 1891..... 28,371,691 The largest Life Assurance Society in the INGS, OR TUESDAY, the Sist of JANUARY

> 31st December, 1892. The REGISTER of SHARES of the Con-PANY will be CLOSED from Mo CDAY the 23rd Tuesday the 31st January, 1893 (both days inclusive), during wilch period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors,

Secretary. Hongkong, 14th January, 1892.

TOTAL INVESTED FUNDS (over) 1,600,000. The Undersigned are prepared to accept First

> The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be CLOSED from TRURSDAY the 26th January to FRIDAY the 3rd February, 1893, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. A. SHELTON HOOPER,

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ANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. ENHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are pro-MUNICH BEER pared to GRANT POLICIES of INSUR-ANCE against FIRE to the extent of \$100,000 on First-class Risks at ourrent rates.

Hongkong 22nd April, 1892. SUN INSURANCE OFFICE LONDON. FOUNDED 1710:

THE NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSUR-

A AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. SIEMSSEN & CO., Hongkong, 16th May, 1092. SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE

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The Undersigned are now prepared GRANTPOLICIES of INSURANCE agrain DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co., A sents for the Phosnic Fire O tien.

Hongkony, 17th August, 1887.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COM-

OTICE is hereby given that the FOURTH at 10 a.m. on the 15th, and may be expected ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING | here on or about the 21st instant. The REGISTER of SHARES will be

Shares can be registered.

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THE FIFTY THIRD ORDINARY SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will held at the Office of the Company, No. 18 BANK BUILDINGS, Queen's Road Central, on MONDAY, the 30th inst, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED. PATOTICE is horeby given, that the FIFTE ORDINARY MEETING of SHARE. HOLDERS in this Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, VICTORIA BUILD. 1803, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending

A. SHELTON HOOPER,

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD-

ING COMPANY, LIMITED. TO FICE is hereby given that the FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, VICTORIA BUILDINGS, OB FRIDAY, the 3rd of FEBRUARY, 1893. at 3 o' lock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts for the twelve months onding 31st December, 1892

Secretary to the Ho gkong Land Investment and Agency Com-Agents for the Kowloon Land

and Building Company, Limited. Hongkong, 19th January, 1893. NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORA-TION, LIMITED. IN LIQUIDATION.

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H. J. BOT WELLY ... No 11, Kabe. .. H. J. PEARCE. No. 16, Kobe. 14th November, 1892,

VESSELS EXPECTED.

THE GERMAN MAIL The N. D. L. steamer Proussen, with the German mail of 19th December, left Singapore

The M. M. steamer Sughalien, with the WEDNESDAY, the 25th JANUARY, 1893, at French mail of December 23rd. felt Singapore 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the on Thursday, January 19th, at 5 p.m., and may Report of the Board of Directors, together with | be expected here on or about Thursday, January the Statement of Accounts for the year ending | 26th. This packet brings replies to letters des patched from Hongkong on November 16th.

THE CANADIAN MAIL. The C. P. stanmer Empress of India with the Canadian mail left Vancouver on the 10th inst. THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. 3 : O. steamer Occanic, with the

American mail left San Francisco on the 4th Secretary to the Hongkong Land | The P. M. steamer City of Rio de Janei e. Investment and Agency Com- with the American mail left Sun Francisco on

> MERCHANT STRAMERS The Austrian Lleyd's steamer Orion left Shanghai on the afternoon of the 18th, and may . The P. & O. steamer Malacca left Singapore at 4 f.m. on the 16th, and ma, be expected here on the 23rd just. The P. & O. steamer Lumburdy left Singapore at 6 a.m. on the 18th, and may be experted here on the 25th just

pore on the 20th, and may be expected here on The N. G. I. steam w Bisague left Bombay on the 14th January, and nery be expected here on The China Mutual steamer Kairow pass d the Canal on the 2nd just. The Northern Pacific storm ir Tacoma left

The P. & O. steamer Manila left Bombay on

he. 9th inst.

The authorised List of Mails sened in

For Swatow, Amoy, and Foodbow.-Per Namoa, to-day, the 21st inst., at 1 30 P.M. For Amoy and Mantla .- Per Sangkiong, to-For Shanghai. - Per Peigang, to-day, the 21st ust., at 3.30 P.M. For Shanghai.-Per Meefoo, to day, the 21st For Straits and Bombay .- Per Gwali . r, on Tuesday, the 24th inst., at 11-30 A.M. For Straits and Calcutta .- Per Cotherine Apear, on Tuesday, the 24th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Singapore.-Per Aglair, on Wednesday. the 25th inst., at 11.30 A.M.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Melbourns will be despatched on WEONESDAY, the 25th instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles: to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Barmah, Caylon, the Australasian Colonies, Poudichery, Madras, Aden, Mauritins, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

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MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO. CONTRACT PACKET The British Contract Packet Empress of China will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 25th inst., with Mails for Shanghai, Japan. anada. United States of America, and countries beyond, vià Vancouver, B.C. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

11.30. A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with the Late Fee of 10 cents extra postage, until time of departure. The Post Office declines all responsibility for

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be closed as follows:-0.15 P.M., Registry coases. 0.30 P.M., Post Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure. The Post Office declines all responsibility for

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T e O. S. S. Co's steamer Palamed left S ngapore on the morning of the 19th, and may be exp cted here on the 16th inst.

The D. D. R. steamer Salatiga left Singa-Victoria, B.C., on the 12th inst.

The China Mutual steamer Moyane passed
the Canal on the 16th January.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

PEAK DELIVERY closes at Post Office at 1.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. or in Latter Boxes in the Cars by 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams. Letter Boxes at Peak will be cleared at 12.30 a .d 4 p.rg. The Postal Guide for 1892, revised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory P. XXII. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal infornation published in Hong kong.

connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

day, the 21st inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Yokohama and San Francisco.-Per Peru, on Saturday, the 28th inst., at 0.30 P.M.

The usual hours will be observed in closing

the mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets when they leave at 3 my. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 P.M. the day before. 3.00 A.M .- Posting of Prices Current and Cir-

10.30 A.M. -Posting of newsppersa books, and 11.00 A.M. - Mail closes. after which hour they may be sent on board

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OURS, No. 5, SHELLEY STREET.	Hongkong, 18th November, 1892. [28]	General Managers. Hongkong, 19th January, 1898. [214]	on or about TO-DAY the 21st instant. For further particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,	For further particulars, apply to MELCHERS & CO. Agents. Hongkong, 17th January, 1893.	SIFGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN, AND HAMBURG.	CHAN KIT SHAN, Esq. W. WOTTON, Esq. KWAN HOI CHUEN, Esq. Chief Manager.
THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST- MENT & AGENCY CO., LD. ngkong, 3rd January, 1893 [85]	CHAMPAGNE "MONOPOLE."	THE Steamship "PEIYANG,"	Hongkong, 16th January, 1893.	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.	PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS; Also,	GEO, W. F. PLATFAIR. BRANCHES: LONDON, YOKOHAMA, SHANGHAL AMOY, AND
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sidence, containing 8 Rooms. Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS.	DRY Do. do. (extra dry). CARLOWITZ & Co.,	Hongkong, 19th January, 1893. 211 CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,	"GWALIOR," Captain F. Speck, will leave for the above places	Captain Barwise, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 26th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to	THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS	THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF SCOTLAND. PARE'S BANKING CO. AND THE ALLIANCE BANK (LIMITED).
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Post Office. Sukable for Offices or Cham- Has a small Godown attached. Entry after February 8th.	TOBACCO ESTATE FOR SALE.	THE Steamship "SUNGKIANG."	Hongkong, 13th January, 1893. 182 FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, AND	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS	Belis of Lading for the Principal Places in Russia.	Hongkoug, 7th January, 1893.
G. C. ANDERSON,	POR SALE, with immediate possession, the ESTATE on the "SUGUT" RIVER within 5 hours' steam of Sandakan, the Pro-	Captain Dodd, will be despatched TO-DAY, the 21st inst. at 5 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,	HAMBURG. (Calling at NAPLES for landing Passengers if sufficient inducement offers).	NOTICE. STEAM FOR	N SUNDAY, the 5th day of February, 1893, at 10 a.m., the Company's Steamship "PREUSSEN," Captain Hogemann, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and	THE Basiness of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANG-
TO LET.	perty of the "Borneo Tabak Maatschappy" in Liquidation. The Estate has been surveyed and is one of the best in Borneo. It covers an	Hongkong, 20th January, 1893.	(Taking Cargo at through rates to Antwerp, American, Rotterdam, London, Liverpool, and Bremen).	SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO- LOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,	CARGO, will leave this Port as above, CALLING AT GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon.	HAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application. INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31
OUSES in KNUTSFORD TERRACE, KOW- LOON. apply to	area of 50,000 acres, and was opened in 1888, and worked during the two following years, when a large sum of money was spent on Rosde,	FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON,	"AGLAIA." Captain E. Christiansen, will be despatched for	MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, LONDON. HAVRE, AND BORDEAUX.	Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 4th Feb- ruary. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board;	PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank to be placed on FIXED
FHE HONGKONG LAND INVEST	Drains, Bangalows, and other Buildings re-	HAMBURG, AND ANTWERP. THE Steamship "PEMBROKESHIRE,"	the above ports on WEDNESDAY, the 25th inst., at NOON. This Steamer has superior accommodation for	PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA. N WEDNESDAY, the 25th January,		DEPOSIT at 4½ PER CENT. per annum. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,
DOWNS at WANCHAL, with good water	bouring Estate was recently sold in Ameterdam for 115 Guilder Cents per half kilo, while other Lots bave recently realized 147, 162, and 165	Captain Gedye, will be despitched as above TO- DAY, the 21st inst, at 5 P.M. For Freight or Passage apply to	First and Second Class Passengers and carries a Doctor and a Stewardes. For Freight or Passage, apply to	1893, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "MELB()URNE," Commandant Schmitz, with Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave	For farther Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents.	F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager, Hongkong, 12th August, 1891. [12]
frontage, suitable for storing Coal or andize. apply to	Guilder Cents per half kilo, Good Chinese la- bour is now cheap and abundant in B.N.B. The Vendors will take a very Low Price.	DODWELL, CARLILL & CO., Agents. Hougkong, 17th January, 1893. 2557	SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 17th January, 1893. 198	this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal	NORTHERN PACIFIC	FONG, PHOTOGRAPHER A Hasjust added to his COLLECTION of VIEWS some NEW SCENES and Photos.
LINSTEAD & DAVIS. ngkong. 28th October. 1892. [4] ONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,	For particulars, price, &c., apply to the Liquidators, H. HUGHES & CO., Accountants and Commission Agents,	FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.	AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA- TION COMPANY, (Under Mail Contract with the	Places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M.	COMPANIES. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.	of NATIVE TYPES, copies of which are obtainable in his Studio or at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh's. Ivory Miniatures of Superior Quality and
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Particulars, apply to R. LYALL, Secretary	Hongkong, 15th November, 1892. [48] FOR SALE.	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. FOR HONOLULU.	"ORION,"	PACIFIC MAILSTEAMSHIP COMPANY THROUGH TONNEW YORK, VIA OVER-	Captain J. Hill, sailing at Noon, on TUES- DAT, the 14th February, 1893, will proceed to VICTORIA.B.C., and TACOMA. via SHANG-	TIOT OF STEROURIERS
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given up." Lady Betty looked relieved, but the rest of us, who were of a mundame turn of mind, saw what she did not -- that to give up this point was to put off the day of better things indefinitely. We were four slaters, dependent for daily ago; he said he was going to shirk the first part bread on Hugh, our best of brothers. Bessie was of the concert." our eldest, and Lady Betty came next to me. I am the ugly duckling of the family, all eyes and ago in the gallery directing the men where to she is so dointy in her ways. She can't thick of burry. But come, let us go back and see who is fancy ball in the old shoestral gown. She made He said he could not understand how I could common things; her thoughts fly away to all right about it."

best. Lady Betty does not seem to know or care. of the old Squire into the bargain." Hugh is choirmaster and organist of the Cathedral, and he wants to get pupils, but he most distant mann r. Betty is so different from me is because she has a practical joke, but it is very ill-timed."

man. I wish you specially to note this to followed, which gave satisfaction; and then plotured face: lives in a big, gloomy mension, all alone with his | Hugh same hurriedly for Betty, and told me I . "Well, sir," said the Major, cheerily, "you family ghosts and their portraits But it is said might find a biding place among the palms in most not make invidious distinctions; here is that he means to turn over a new leaf, and has the conservatory if I chose. As soon as they another claimant to your affections—a good, mention this case not to put money in anybody's sent for Mejor St. John, a far-away nephew, and were gone I glided among the palms, until I true little soul, to whom I am sure you will give intends to make him his beir, and is going to found a spot whence I could watch Botty; that a corner of your heart." give a series of citertainments to the county was all I cared for. To my surprise, however. Oh, I am only Dot," I said, hurriedly, fear-families of the neighbourhood. He has sent a Hugh came in at a door the other side of the ing again that soom of dislike I had watched Lurishman ave, and, or course, it hady Estry. Hugh, do you want me? I saked softly, enough, but the Major drew me forward.

She is like her father, you think? Dear Begister sowie anderweitige Bekannt.

Hugh would get more work; and then some of were fixed upon the stage, where Betty was hugh and then some of were fixed upon the stage, where Betty was hugh and then some of were fixed upon the stage, where Betty was hugh and then some of were fixed upon the stage, where Betty was hugh and then some of were fixed upon the stage. Hugh would get more work; and then some of were fixed upon the stage, where Betty was uncle, now on Christman eve, with the Glad machangen des Kaiserlichen Konsulates werden us could think of other things beside the grind. standing waiting for the accompanist. As he tidings of great loy ringing in your cars, im Jahre, 1893, durch die Zeitungen 'THE ing dull lives of making much out of nothing; drew near I saw it was not my poor over ought you not to forgive and forget ?" but-we could never be like Betty.

expected, and looked keenly at Betty, who was took his seat at the piane and played a short to overflowing. I was so pleased that I approxe standing in the stulight, trilling to the causry, prelude, to give Betty time to collect her I smiled as my grandfather looked at me. "Girls," be said, "let her go in that cotton was my lovely Betty, standing in her usual smiles," said he, and he held out his hand corwarbling just like a bird. gown. No one will care what she has on when simple, graceful way healds him, with her music dially. From that moment my grandfather and once she begins to sing.

Just then I had an idea, and I'm afraid I trod look at her notes. That was one of the charms But Betty and I were left alo) in the gallery. Die diesentigen Handelsregister, sowie andere on Hugh's toes in my hurry. There was just of her singing-it seemed so spontaneous. one beautiful gown in our possession, though, perhaps, it was at least 150 years old, if it was a throughout the audience; people simply stared rider beyond. "Bessie," I shricked, "the great-grand-

mother's wedding dress.' looked as if he thought we were all mad, but our saw nothing of the brilliant assemblage; her arm about the young man's shoulders. kindly Bess said, in her general way, "It's all thoughts were far away in the song world, where, right, Hugh; Lady Betty shall go." to make out his concert programme, and we true as silver bells.

three left our clear ones together and ran up our possession. It had been my mother's, but woke. Then she sang; but who shall describe And the glance of both rested on our Betty, who to the garret. hew it came to her we did not know, for our the clear bell-notes that thrilled and rang through had wandered back to the further end of the parents would not tell us anything of her and the room? The audience became distracted, and gallery, standing dreaming amid the flowers. percents would not ton as any ones or nor and when the last sweet note died away they appland. What a lovely picture she made there, in her been a public singer, that he had a fine tenor ed Betty to the echo and would not be satisfied. quaint, rich gown, with the old lace falling ever voice, which failed him when he was still young. I shall nover cease to see her standing there in her white arms, and her yellow enris against the

and that he died heart-broken. ed just like our Betty, and had faded out of life one of Fra Angelico's angels, floating on billowy i jealously. when my father's love no longer shielded her clouds. Then Hugh played a slight prelude, and And the Major laughed as they entered the from pain. We valued the old gown for her she sang her "bird song," trilling in the upper gallery. sake, and because it seemed to tell us that our register with the facility many a great singer "Come," he said to me. "We are going to forbears had been gentlefolk, who, perhaps, had might have envied. After this people were orazier make a sensation." known freedom from small esonomies and care. than ever, and made such a noise that I heard a Hugh was playing a fine piece when we came We sat on the floor of the garret with the growl beside me. The man so like Hugh was into the concert-room. Our grandfather, leaddress and its secompaniments of soft lace apread stanting, white and stern, just as Hugh was apt ing Lady Betty, calmly ascended the stage, the each part, as she dooked at it between the slantout among us. Bessie pronunced judgment on to look when indignant.

preity-red and gold. Dot, here, can stuff the a very decided manner, and silence ensued, and then rese hastily. toes with tissue paper. This blue quilted skirt the next moment he came back to the conservaneeds darning. I will see to that. The ruby tory with our Betty following him, bathed in But ere I could speak, the Squire had taken him needs darring. I will see to lune. The ruly tory will be and crowded round by the arm and was speaking to him. Then he and gold overdress, however, is perfect. Oh. tears. Some of the audience had crowded round by the arm and was speaking to him. Then he and gold overdress, however, is perfect. Oh. tears. Some of the audience had crowded round by the arm and was speaking to him. Then he dear, the lace is all to pieces, but we must mend her and frightened the poor, silly child. And drew him unwillingly to the front of the stage, it up as best we can. Well, that settled Come no sooner were they well out of sight of the and, in a few words, explained to the assembled

When we got down stairs we found that for er. She had never once looked up at him. Go to the park without her dear old Dot (my enough? Must I go back and sing to those Of course we were surrounded in a moment, self) she would not. She could not sing if I dreadful people again! Please say I need and I think the ladies would have smothered were not there. That is how it was I thought not, Hugh. Indeed, you don't know how Betty had not my grandfather stood between of writing the story. I was in it from first to it hurts me, Hugh, through and through." her and the many determined to seize and kiss

last, and I followed at Betty's hoels like a faithful shadow. share in drewing our little lady; we were very | sign that I should not tell Betty of the mistake anxious about the effect of the old gown, but we she had made, and he stood aside to let our own hanghty as usual, did not make himself half so need not have been, for surely nothing could have looked so pretty as this sheeny ruby and gold. as Lady Betty stood with her music in her hand

"Now, Dot, on with your dress," oried Bessie, turning to me, her eyes shining with triumph, said flarcely: waiting for me. I were Bessie's best black silk. like that, my little Betty, you should never have When people moved away I heard the Major specially done up for the cocesion. It was worn entered these doors. It is too bad of them, say softly to Hugh: and shabby, but no matter—it fitted very well, though they mean it for kindness. The truth Be good to the old man, cousin Hugh. and no one would look at me. Hugh had asked is, your singing has taken them out of them had many a lonely year with his broken for a special sitting-room for us. He was proud, selves. But you have sung enough, and shall go heart." as I said before, and he did not wish us to mix home if you like. I can't come with you, but, with the rest of the performers; nor with the Dot, you can take her home, can't you? guests, as we could not be on an equality with: "Allow me the privilege of taking care of them. It was foolish pride, no doubt. I am those ladies," said Hugh's double, stepping forafraid I did not like his carefulness. I wanted ward: "It is only fair, for this concert is given to one another, and the Major watched their to see something of the world now I was launched in my honour. My uncleupon it, so after we had arrived and settled . Then you are Major St. John ?" said down I looked impatiently round the room. Lady Betty was absorbed in the flowers.

behind the huge palms. I advanced nutil I was brought to us.

within a few yards of the speakers. To my When Betty was less agitated she looked For the Squire would not hear of our going and the Hugh and hearing his was an arrivally at the Major who was an like wat an like wat an like was an like wat an like was an like was an like wat an like was an like was an like wat an like was an l into a conservatory. surprise I saw Hugh and barring his way was ouriously at the Major, who was so like, yet so away again that night, but insisted upon our an old gentleman, so strikingly like him that he unlike our Hugh. He, in his turn, seemed in remaining, as if he feared that if he let us go he might have been his double.

"Pray who are you, sir?" thundered the old in Betty. man. Hugh introduced himself as well as he Hugh Sinclair!" The old man's brow front, fell back over the blue-quilted underskirt. aglow in the fitful flames. could, and made known his mission. "Forgive an old man, sir, I thought I recog. longed to my mother, and is our great-grand the Great-grandmother's Wedding Dress."-The

nised your face, and mistock you for some one else. I beg to thank you for the trouble you are taking to help in the success of the evening." It was the Squire. We had not seen him before, for our coming to the cathedral town was recent, and he seldom or never came to the

"I very much approve of your programme, sir," he continued. "The congresse English; I for a fancy ball, and looked so levely in such hate your German and French; the tendency is quaint attire that her doting father had her in the summer of 1:91. The speaker was a a bad one, to put saide our own fair tongue and pieture painted as she looked that night; Will our own sweet tunes. I particularly like these | you come with me-I will show it to you." old freeds, Bid Me Discourse, Where the Bee Sucks, and so on. But whom have you gallery, and there, sure enough, my Betty, with here to sing them?" Hugh explained that his sister had a fine voice.

which he had taken pains to cultivate. But she is only a child," he said tenderly. The quire turned and looked at me, and the and saw the Squire, livid with emotion; I thought what sorts of walls we have now," and he led ber " A bout seventeen, eh, Dot?" frown came bask to his brow.

Very strange," he muttered "Her isce also is quite familiar to me. What does it mean ?" "Oh, I am like anybody and everybody," I admitted, clamsily enough; "but when you see Betty, I am sure you will say you never saw at us. anyone like her in your life before."

ent or importment manner.

conservatory with only time for a short farewell and there. As to the dress if further defies the gunbosts in the Channel and the redto the Baute, "I've seen the Equire, and he's the very counterpart of Hagh in everything except age, only upon the little Betty. In a moment he had her

"I never saw such a likeness." Hugh came rushing in at this moment to so fleroely that I should have screamed with Let me tell you, Dot, you ought to be asham- everyone or read them as a child would do. She demics of chelera or influenza, but to diseases reprimend me for leaving the room. ed of yourself. I am ashamed of you," he said, looked in the old man's face and smiled. severely. "This room is specially given up to you, and you've no business to go wandering about." If it had not been for. Betty's kind look at me

I could see that his rock of strength was Betty. No one spoke after this. "i he old man breath supposed to have distinct characters, and to re-

manipulation. We must tell Hugh it must be the next room, and I followed as near as I dared. of teats falling on her soft rings of carls. The door was now open into the conservatory The Major had drawn me away to the other supporting power were exhausted beneath him. and people passed and repassed. "I did not know St. John was a musical man,"

"Nor is he. I met him on the heath an hour which ended in an undignified choke. But, I tell you that I saw him a moment | longer."

Then he must have returned in a prodigious on the wall is that of your mother, dressed for a on for six months, but with no beneficial result.

to him, just for want of a suitable dress it must a game of pool in my life. One of them declares age, I did not want any more upon my hands." be set saide. For, one of the reasons, that our I owe him his revenge. They must mean it for With these words he rose and we went back lim. I have no interest whatever in testifying the genius of song, and hugh has trained her He went off, and presently we heard him at under the ploture of our mother. The old Squire if." The Squite of the parish is a very strange piece of his own composition. Some part songs from constantly comparing the living with the Bright's disease, a malady very common among

anxious brother, but a man of fushion ind lessure The Major's eyes dwelt meaningly on our "DER OSTASIATISCHE LLOYD" in Shanghai It was hard to tell Hugh, but Bessie managed who knew what it is to be very much bored in life. | lovely Betty, and I knew he meant that a gift | veröffentlicht werden. it very well. He was more disappointed than we But I forget about him in a moment, for Hugh | such as that ought to fill the old Squire's heart strength in case she felt nervous. And there "She has a look of her mother when she

rolled up in one hand, for she never needed to I have been the best of friends. with wonder at this delicate vision, radiant with loveliness. Betty's soft rings of corn-coloured hair ourled all over her head, her sheeks were It was an inspiration. No one replied. Hugh rosy with health, and I read in her eyes that she

she declared to me, she could hear divine, long. Major again; "Hagh Sinclair has a far greater He went away rather bewildered and began drawn chords and a choir of singers with voices oldin upon it. But there is one more precious "Oh, Betty," I cried to myself, "wake up and gain your consent to win. I believe in love at do your best, my Betty"; and as thought com- first eight, and from the first moment my eyes The gown was the only piece of property in pelled her glance, her eyes met mine and she fell upon her I felt that I had met my fale."

the rich old gown of crimson and gold and blue. background of palms.

said, and moved swiftly away to the concert- much displeased to see us brought back to public ing lights.

Shoes are too big, but they are very room. He spoke to some of the crazier ones in view again. He made one crashing discord and The shoes are too big, but they are very room. He spoke to some of the crazier ones in view again. He made one crashing discord and

"Oh, Hugh, dear Hugh, have I not done proved, Hugh would become his heir. stranger, and I date say I look d horribly dis- course gave me time to see what others were The grand evening arrived, and we all took a agreeable, but before I could speak he made a doing.

Hugh come up. " Need I sing again, Hugh ?" said Betty, and "If I had known they would have behaved

Hugh, questioningly. "Yes; and you are Hugh Sinclair, a fine com- be to grandfather what Ludy Betty is, There were some fine pots of heather on the poser and true musician, I hear. Rely on me There were some one poss or nesther on the posser and the manner, the major and the ment away and came back with jardiniere; she did not notice me when I slipped to take the prestest care of your song bird, here, and presently he went away and came back with the belt of the glass door aside and wandered. And with this Hugh left us, and we were led our two eldest. Bessie and Leity. But what away into a cool part of the gallery, close to the was said then 1 do not know, for we were sent

tensely interested in us, or rather, I should say, might lose us again forever. But when I said

tiful gown," said he, as her ruby gown, open in floor, her ruby dress flashing here and there "In the garret," said Betty, simply. "It be- "After all, we owe everything," said she, "to mother's wedding dress.". "You do not know what this ansient dame's name might have been ?" he suggested.

"No, I don't know anything more about the gown," said Betty. "Once upon a time," said he, "I heard of a merry young girl, who, finding an old dress in a garret precisely like this, dressed herself in it We followed him along the corridor to a long island. her corn-coloured ourls, was smiling at us from

was identically the same. "What is the meaning of this masquerading F," said an irate voice beside us. We turned "they are rather out of style. Come; I'll show Betty looked at him, and a smile came into her the great ships of war. eyes of irresistible leveliness.

"I have already solved the |pussle," said the that would be put to hazard grow constantly "Retty sings," suggested Hugh, as the frown- Major very quietly, "as," he added, more slowly, ing Squire looked suspicionaly at my dark face. "no doubt you have done also. You cannot look Then Hugh bowed and passed on, and the Squire at that young man's face without seeing what This is a hopeful consideration, and if Engextechised me as to our family in a very portin- is patent to the least observant in the room- land had nothing to be afraid of beyond the he is your living image. You council glance danger of being attacked from abroad, we might But before I had given him much information from the pictured leveliness on the wall to the sleep in peace. But there is an enemy against face below without seeing that a lineal descende

But as he spoke the Squire seamed to ponnee not so kind in his manner." I said, breathlessly, under the lights and was holding her face, looking searchingly into her eyes. His own glared terror; our gentle Betty, however, trusted "Oh," she said sgain. "You are just like sesson; carrying off rich and poor alike. Un-Hugh. I never saw such a likeness'

"What is your name?" he said, in a kind of "Elizabeth," I gasped; "but we call her Lady der various names, as, for example, rheumatism, strangled voice, turning to me. begged. "The Squire can't est her, at anyrate." Betty. She has our mother's name because she gout, bronchitis, consumption, the several fevers.

If she grew nervous, too, and failed, his pro- ed almost in sebs, and the Major signed to me quire distinct treatment. spects would be worse thun ever; for everybody neither to move nor speak. But I trembled for Now, however, the best medical authorities of note for miles round was here to night. His Betty; she was used to comforting usual, even recognise these ailments as symptoms and outkeep eye searched her face. Betty looked up Hugh in his darkest moods: she seemed to divine growths of indigestion and dyspensis, and trept

with her sweet child eyes, very dreamy here our needs, and she could not been to see any one them accordingly. In illustration of what can within hearing of the plash of the fountain, and suffer without giving her utmost consolation. be done, we git a single case, A man named with the wealth of flowers on which to teast her To her simple, true mind only one thing prebeauty-loving soul.

Beauty-loving soul. "Are you -are you -well, Botty ?" stammered and laid her cheek against the hand that viously had perfect health, experienced a dull don't," said Bessie, surveying the wrecks of our Hugh. He did not want to make held her, so fleroely. The touch was the genunited wardrobes. "Everything has been turn. Cared abe would be nervous. Betty laughed, thest carees, and the next moment the old man furred tongue, less of appetite. discoloured skin, ed and returned, and is too shabby for further She was always well. Then Hugh went into was holding our Betty close in his arms, a rain nunatural languer and fatigue, and what he end of the gallery, and here we sat down and

stared at one another. I felt very much inclined to cry myself, and had a short struggle | until April, 1890, when one day, when he was "Hugh told me to take her home," I said a little crossly. "Bhe ought not to stay any

And the Major, looking straight at me, said : father's heart was broken at her loss. She was on, though the disease was mearing me out.

to the sofe, where my Betty was sitting, right thus, and only speak of the medicine as I found

As she stood waiting to begin there was a stir father walked arm-in-arm, up and down the cor-I heard the Major's strong, earnest tones again Press" erfolgen.

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and again. "It must be, dear uncle, and at once." The Squire seemed much grieved and threw his "You can't leave me the estate now," said the THOMSON'S

All we know of our mother was that she look. She only wanted the trumpet to be seraphic as | "She is only a child as yet," said the Squire

Major followed with me.

along, girls, and let us set to work. There is room than Betty clong to him with both srms. company that we were without d ubt, his grandand laid her soft, ourly head against his should- children, restored to him wonderfully and unexpectedly, and that if this were satisfactority

By this time I had taken my Betty from the her. Little notice was taken of me, which of

The Major had Hugh by the arm, and Hugh; was very much bewildered at the sudden change the real Hugh, looking down tenderly at her, in his position, and proud-well am sure, if he bad not thought more of us than of himself, he would never have taken a penny from the estate.

The two men took a long look into one another's eyes, and then their hands met in a handclasp which promised friendship unto death. Hugh and our grandfather took wonderfully growing interest with keen delight. But-well, must say it, for every one knows it is the truth-nothing and no one in the world will ever The Major had thought of the others, too,

I heard voices at a distance, and, keeping well flowers and fountains, and refreshments were to bed, and slept in a large room, where I am to Betty that the place might be hannied, she "I want to know where you found this beau- only laughed and danced about on the old oak

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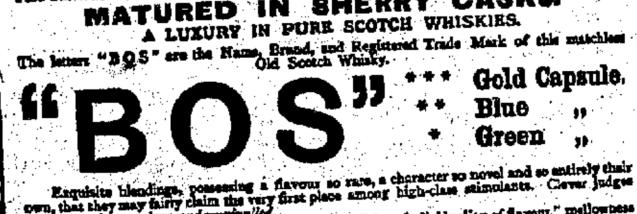
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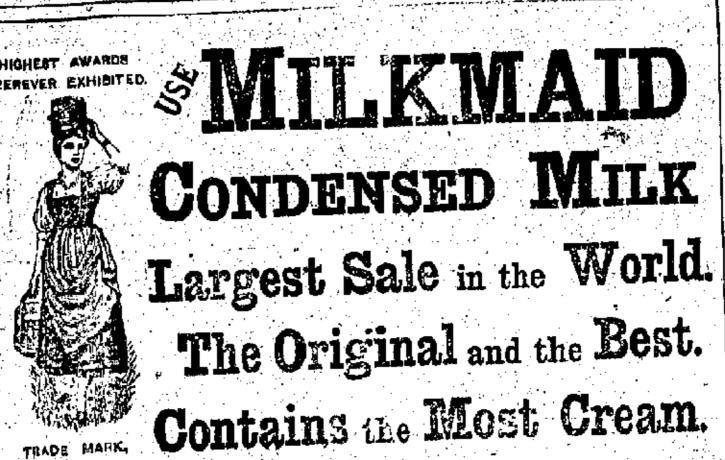
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CHAPTER XXI. NEMESIS IN THE WILDERNESS. Two years have passed away since Frank's escape from France, which was only accomplished after danger and difficulty.

For him it has been two years of varying fortunes and of many ups and downs in the world. If he has been true to anything it has been to the memory of Rose, and to the faithful dog that in so stranges way had been the chief instrument in saving his life. Frank had had a Christian mother, and he had never yet forgotten her teaching. Perhaps his was a religion that was mingled with just a little superstition, for his mother and father both, although subsequently removing to London, had been born and reared under the cloud shadowed mountains of the Scottish highlands. It may be doubted, however, if any religion be entirely devoid of an element of the superstitious. Be this as it may, Frank could never divest bimself of the thought that the coolie doz. Rover, had been really and in very truth God sent to save his life. He would have parted, therefore, with all he possessed in the world rather than with his faithful dog.

In a British ship, however, and working as an ordinary hand before the mast, Frank had found himself at long last in the splendid harbour o Sydney, and here he landed for the first time in what, virtually speaking, was a new world to him. He had no intentions of going back in that ship. He had seen enough of England to last him for a very long time.

Nor had he intended to remain in Sydney. but Rover appeared for the present to rule his master's destiny. He found, to his temporary dismay, that his dog would not be allowed to land unless he were taken straight to a quarantine hospital or dog's home and there detained for the space of five months. "What is to be is to be," said poor Frank when

he heard the authoritative verdict. "Rover" must not leave me, so into hospital be goes, and I will look for something to do in Sydney." It is needless to say that the young man had changed his name. He was now simply William Brown, able-bodied sesman, said to be in bac health, and willing to turn his hand to anything in order to enjoy the pure life-giving air of Sydney and the regions round about.

He was a good penman and an excellent copyist or clerk, but when he applied for work in this line, white-barred old men looked suspictously at him over the gold rims of their spectacles. Where were his credentials, his certificates, his character, his references, Queer people, some merchants told him, came out here. He-William Brown-was no doubt as honest as the summer days were long, but then he might be an English felon or a murderer. William Brown: as we may call him for a time, hoped and prayed in his inmost soul that he had not turned pale when the word " murderer" so ended in his care. He felt, however, half inclined to Brown. give verbal battle, but thought better of it, and went quietly away to the dingy lodgings in the

dingy street where he lived. He was finally glad to accept work as a shipporter. Well, it did not matter a great deal Poor Rover's days of quarantine would soon be over, then there would be two rovers once again for he still possessed a couple of hundred pounds,

Poor William Brown, he had yet to learn that Nemesis can follow a man even into the wilderness of the farthest off islands of the earth. William had but few adventures worth mentioning while he ramained in Sydney, The chief of these lay in the fact that his landlady's daughter fell deeply in love with him. She was a tall and beautiful girl, and, if the truth must be told. William had given her rather more encouragement than a sailor-lad, having a sweet-

When Rover's days in imprisonment were over William bade Elsie good bye, and started off with rather a light heart down into the country and into the bush. Elsie was in bitter sorrow and in deep grief. "Shall I never, never see you more, Willie," she said, and the salt tears fell unheeded over her face.

Was it very, very wrong of William to take the girl in his arms, just for a little while, and dry away those tears and kiss her? Surely Rose herself could hardly have objected to this, but-perhaps she would have. Wo-

So away the rovers marched, and if there was longing for some kind of change.

greenery of the country. He must needs run round and round his master, and bark in his face for the very joy with which his heart was brimful and running over. And William Brown took his little remance would manage the place in his absence. away down into the bush with him. Alas, for

her, Elsie Mair was not the her ine of that Peter. "you are bound to go, and believe me. romance, but Rose—his own Rose. and all alone, there was neither a nock nor a gings." oranny in his whole big heart that was not fille: right up with love for the girl he had left behind

him, far away in bonnie Scotland, perhaps never company with the others. to see again. was impossible. Twice only he had written to her. I may say at once in this place that Rose-

from some cause or other-never received either From the very commencement this young mandetermined to struggle manfully on towards the goal he had set himself to reach. He would work live cheaply-and one can do so in the bushstocked though indifferently at first, for two be multiplied unto him, and finally, when things building pretty castles in the ambient air. were really on a prosperous base, and his new house had taken the place of a log but, then he "Brown, old man." would send for, or boldly go for Rose, and together they would settle down in the bush, and leave all sorrows of life to be interred in the the dog, like a shot,"

land of their birth. Certainly a very pleasant aerial castle this for any young man to build. But what was to hinder the dream from coming out all true, and on a log. solid structures we should wish them to. It seems very bard on the builders.

things seemed about to prosper with William Brown. He found labour cheap enough, but in the erection of fences and huts and enclosures his own good hands were ever at the wheel, and the example set by the master, who was always good and kind and cheerful, was eagerly followed by the servants. In little over a your's time he dred or two that will make me give you up. had therefore more than doubled his wealth, and there was some chance that he would triple it dur- is too drank to bring the polic on you, and he'll

propitions and drought and discuss kept at bay. But now a strange thing happened. One even- my horee, as yours is dead lame." ing when Brown was eating his humble meal . My friend, my friend, however can I thank out of doors, under the shadow of some trees he you ?" cried Frank. had spared when making a clearing, there came "By hurrying off at quickly as possible. I'll swindly good of you to bring him off. Stokers at home, they would die a natural death in good thin ung, himse tr., 1, 65, W wirk, J n. 20, towards him a tired and weary looking "snucut- see to Harrison. I'll give him such a drank he are at a premium here." ter." A handsome and strong young fellow he won't see the sun for a week."

"I'm goin' to est my damper wi' you the nicht," he said, with a strong Aberdeenshire and the tears of gratitude shining on his face in or over, but only averted for the time being; he neglect the warning symptoms of approaching Lenn x, British str., 1,327, Wm. Ward, Ju. 12,

Brown's heart warmed to him at once, and his thoughts went right away back to anid Scotland. with a jump. "Your heartily welcome," he said "sit down.

"Now," said Brown, "you can give an account for San Francisco. of yourself." "Not difficult to do," said the stranger, talk.

ing good English now. "My story is a short and unromantic one. I was a student at the great northern University and intended for the Warr vos Kirk, though I never had a deal of liking in the direction, I suppose; but I'd have been a minter by now if my father and mother hadn't died | | ardis He beaved a sigh and was for a fe minates. "Both the old folk. in a week of each other, and I

alas! when the things were als differ. though the only son less than £300 was and tune. I had studied divinity only to mother, but now that she was gone an apress- have his own way when he has a least o have cries. I donot if the seles a final stimulus. A selia Mensh. I. Powan, British atr., 1,842, S. W. Gozgie, H. C. ible desire to travel a bit and see the world took it, that man is Ben Boniface. Now, nen this which physical or psychical force and one, King-street, Melbon as, cites: "Thave so flered ... & M. Stesemboat Co., for Canton. possession of me. I made a trip to America. I craft was building and that's more'n a dozen Besides, don't you forget, Mrs. Grandy from neuralgia, so much that my Fresto, German steamer, 655; Bohn, Dec. 25 thought I might settle down there if my learn years ago, there were men there in old Frisco you have no more right to set limits to the face often swelled great and country me much; Siem sen & Co

type-writing they proferred to Divinity. So I bind the age? ing till he gradually saved money and took a sailor yourself." well-stockit mailin' for himself

at bank in Sydney, but I shan't break on that till as you do. And you think you'll sail to-I can add to it, and till I gain experience. Then, morrow?" he added. when I fairly settle down, I'll write home, and Maggie Sheerar will come and marry me.

"Within six miles of Peterhead." William Brown had to stoop down at this turn in the conversation to pathic favourite Rover in order to conceal his emotion.

"Well, Peter," he said, "Soot though I be, I come not from that district but from far away amang the Hielan' Hills. Is all you tell me guess, that I've fixed you up lovely." truth ?" Ritchie got up and extended his hand.

"As man to man in this wilderness," he said. I have snoken only the solemn truth." "I believe you. Well, I'm William Brown, a I. too, am in love, so if you will bide with me I'll bright English sovereigns, and these were now gets?" give you work: I need an everseer. I suppose on board. But at any moment the p lice might | " drunken Chelly," said a rough-look. you're not afraid of work, and though your be on his track. So it was with feelings of con- ing Englishman. "Why the dence don't be go!" intense.

Brown, my father brought me up to plough and lady-like girl, and a very stout, purse-proudto sow and to harrow. There are few jobs I looking woman of large dimensions, and radiant next. nor next. He had no money of his own, can't do, and I know how even they should be with gold and jewellery -doubtless the girl's but William's friend, Granville, saw him well remedy they are." done-from draining to sheep-shearing," "I hope we'll get on together." said Brown. " Never a doubt of it,"

And so the compact was made in the simple in the good ship Mountain Wave. are made in the wilderness, and at the end of ment of retiring that night. Sleep was impost day he was peb-faced, watery-eyed, sober, sad, six months the two young men threw their for. sible. He luckily had the cabin all to himself, and sorry for it. tunes together and became partners. They passed their time very peacefully in the lessuess. For a time he lay on the sofa trying by twelve o'clock he had mounted his horse and

There was seldem snything exciting going on. Chinese for snything he learned from it. His direction William Brown had taken, and were hardy and daring riders. Sometimes Ritchie went away for a whole deck, yet the slightest noise made him start, the That horse carried Chelly well, and he reached

times, naturally enough. Brown felt very lonely. voice or footstep, and the striking of the bell, had sailed. That his man was in her he soon They used to go out shooting together, staying Then, whenever there was the sound of a distant found out. away for days at a time, and on these occasions shout, or shouting, he must needs spring up For Cholly was clever though a drunkard. of course, the faithful Rover always went with from the couch and open his port to gaze far into Not a fool by any means when sober. He had them. Around the camp fire at night they used | the starlit darkness that hung over the sleeping | a little money in the bank that he kept there for to tell each other tales of home and the days of sea and the shipping. auld lang syne. Brown giving sketches of life in less romantic shore lands of the east.

ing. " seeing a cousin, when that awful murder gradually ceased. took place. You would bardly have heard of it."

ing very brightly just then, so that the look of horror that darkened his face as Ritchie meutioned the all-too-familiar name of Wallard was had passed through, and how little of pleasure 'William.' I'll say, 'you were good to me when But suspecting nothing Ritchie told the story | death itself would be infinitely preferable to life | Frank McNaughton's life

word for word as Brown knew it and determined to bury himself for a time in the Gregory knows of her lover's whereabouts, at any "And they do say," ended Peter, "that Miss rate, the is as true to him as the needle to the the prison doors closed upon him. As to defend, the nine's. Soon's I feel fit I'll place this mur. pole, and has, so I heard, refused more than one eligible offer for her hand." "Is she is she very beautiful?"

the Kirk. She was there with her mother and | that which he had returned to his own accusing man Gard was the real murderer."

"Well, of course, more murders have hap-"Well, Ritchie, old man. your gruesome story' fled." makes me feel cold. Heap more wood on the fire. Rover, here says he wants to hear a song."

period at one place. William Brown was no ex. seemed to kiss her soft red lips ception. And somehow, hearing his chum talk "O, my lost love, my lost love!" he cried, and execution without delay. men have their own ways of looking at things of of home, and—Rose, had a strange effect upon burst into tears. These tears relieved his

would treat himself to a holiday, if he. Rito is.

chum Pil do my best to keep things going. And now that he was off to seek his fortune. But I fear you won't make a pile at the dig-Nevertheless, next morning William Brown bade his chum farewell for a time, and started in now; he saw the scuffold high above him, the

It was a long and tiresome march. They had ceived but one letter from her, but that he knew slept every night under his jacket with his his ear to listen. saddle for a pillow, and Rover by his side. They reached the new gold diggings at last and told off their claims. For over four months Brown toiled and toiled. but not without a bit of luck, though the others

were doing well. But one glorious day he hard, with the sweat of his brow, too; he would struck "durt," and in a month's time he had exclaim. netted nuggets to an extent that would bring one fairly settled on his claim, and that claim him in over three thousand pounds at least. Then his claim gave suddenly out. He was about handred pounds does not go a very long way, trying fresh ground, when one evening after even in Australia, he felt sure that he would sunset one of his chums came to the spot where thrive. Cattle, and sheep, and borses also would he was sitting, pipe in mouth, and, as usual. "Can I have your dog for an hour ?" he said

> Brown, old man, laughed. "The dog won't leave me," he replied. "but I'll go with you and Up he jumped, and together they left the camp They walked in silence towards the bush for

nearly two miles, then Granville sat him down to the life, just as he had figured it, just as he in I'm going to proceed to business at once." was constantly figuring it P What a pity that he said, "and without preface or preliminary. eastles in the air do not always turn out the I'm your friend, Frank McNaughton. Well. that is your name-you turn red and white by turns. But I'm not going to let up on you Be this as it may, there was no doubt that | Cholly Harrison will, though. See this ?" He displayed before poor Frank's astonished gaze a copy of that self-same murder bill. Frank struck his brow with his hand. " Great

God !" he cried. "I am ruined." "Come, you're not caught yet. I've been in trouble myself ere now, and it isn't a dirty hun-Harrison meant to have started to-night, but he ing the second year, that is, if the weather kept be drupker to-morrow. At midnight you must shoulder your swag and fly. I'll let you have

was, with a soft, light, yellow beard and blue And this good-hearted fellow led his horse to the outskirts of the camp that night, saw Frank mount and ride away with his dog at his heels. "It is only what one good man and true," he

said. " should do for another." Then he went whistling back to camp. A week after this Peter Ritchie was master Don't speak until y u've swallowed some tes and owner of the whole claim, and Frank Mo-Saughton stood on the deck of a parque, bound

CHAPT: R XXII. OF TWO GREAT EVILS CHOOSE THE LEAST

ng to anybody else, why they ain't awe the rou like it better, you min't the only one that's Nameb on was placed. "Of two great evils especially when

back from Australia. Still young, but with merchant in 'Frisco that won't trust me with to solve the mystere. agross his breast, and that free and independent. When it blows I sail, when it calme it's clue, self walked in smiling. working like a galley slave at the sheep shear- out o' your fore-canvas that you're a bit of a But he had urgent business at home."

"I think," said Frank, "it is in every way a woman at the bottom of it, I daresay." "Well sir, that is all. I determined to follow good arrangement, and I'm proud to sail with a his lay. I have still a couple of hundred pounds | man who seems to know his way about as well Granville. "Certain as sunrise. My steerage passengers,

fifty o' thom, are all on board. So are you, "And my name," he added, " is Peter Ritchie." Well, there's only Mrs. Colonel Keighly and "And where was your father's farm. Peter her daughter to come, but if they are not on board"- The mate reported:-"Boat just bearing up for the ship now, sir,

> shakes. That's your cabin. Mr. Smith." he said at last holding his hand." As soon as this somewhat talkstive American his skull with a kick. Why, I thinks I see

siderable relief that he now noticed the ap-"My hands are soft now." he said. "but Mr. | proaching boat contained only one very pretty |

were the only cabin passengers who would sail plies, and looked him up. He kicked and ham.

so there was no one to watch his terrible rest. They allowed him a drink for pity's sake, and the first part of the night it was very still on started work.

the Highlands. Ritchie telling stories of the oars coming nearer and nearer to the Mountain next day at breakfast. "by giving information Wave, and the sweat stood in cold beads upon here. The Mountain Wave is bound for San "I was up at F -- ," said Ritchie, one even- his brow until it grew fainter and fainter, and Francisco. There are faster ships than she He somehow felt certain in his own mind that you on the quay. No, no, we won't have any "No. I think I must have left ere then," said before the morning sun lit up the far-off blue masty Bobbies, I don't thirst for your life. Brown.

Brown.

William. Yes, hang me, if you didn't save It was well for him that the fire was not burn- damp and gloomy cell, charged with murder. | mine. I'm not ungrateful. Chelly Harrison Perhaps, he thought, it might be better thus. never was. For what terrible, terrible years of anxiety he

like this. to manufacture a defence for him, but if asked thing about this little affair, don't ye, now?" "I never saw her except once, and that was in to plead his answer would be just the same as

guilty, I must have committed the terrible deed give you my LO U. stright's ye like."

Sailors are, as a rule, restless beings, and hold her in his arms, and to gaze into her eyes, falls asleep."

before his execution, and of hearing the distant sky; the waves all around sparkling with broken "If you've made up your mind to it," said the black and swful scaffold on which in a few ing along her weather line as ever and anon she boars he should meet his doom. Thud-thud-thud; how steadily and earnestwine their brows or anench their thirst.

dang ing rope almost touched his brow. He would have given a good deal to have to not even tents, only Brown was hardy now. He started to his feet and placed his hand behind servants who waited at table, and they were corin r wlocks. Coming nearer, too; coming to great lady, though not always with any very ATES the ship, for presently they were hailed by the marked degree of success. officer on watch, and an world, " Av. av." Great God! they were coming for him.

" Police!" was the reply, " heave us a rope." table. It was white, death-like, ghastly, and, up and down the dock, surely, ages of wild beast never shone as his dark eyes shone and glittered now. His hand was his knees were cold, his mouth was parched and | porpulses." dry, his lips were clammy.

the agony, the death. Death? Oh, yes, and nost he remembered, he had made preparation to feet this very hour. Face the terrors of trial and all the long, grim overtake us; but didn't reckon on such handformalities of death on the scaffold he never could over-hand work as this. No. siree." nor would. Quick! where are his keys? Here. Which is the key? This. What if it should be staggered below and entered his cabin. fuil to unlook his box. But no, the lid is open, and here—yes, here it is, the blessed bottle! tie looks his cabin door now, then burriedly empties half the bottle of those pungent-smalling crystals into a tumbler, and fills it my with | she wants to speak some." water. What a time they take to dissolve, but

they have melted at last. And now should be drink it at once andseep, or wait! Better wait. They seem a long, long time in coming. The suspense is terrible. Unbearable? glauce around, and is about to swallow the contents, when words and the sound of laughing "There are three things I never could quite Harrow, British tr. 2.215, Lloud, Butterfield fall upon his care.

"Good-night, then, policeman." "Good-night. Better shave his head, I think." | would ripen and drop off; secondly, I never "Ha! ha! ha! A bucket of water shout him could quite comprehend why men go to war to the meditish str., 1,314. G. B. 1. fayou would serve him best. But good night. It was kill each other when, if they remained quietly Hope returned to the unbappy man's heart, not see why the men obase around after the Kinngchow, British str., 298, T. A. Webster, Not in a great joyful wave as it comes leaping women, since, if they sat still, the women would over the sands of the lives of more fortunate run around after them." How true that death Lowshing, British e'r., 1,355, Galaworth Lan.

doned but respited. Without a doubt, all the misery he had come in the mouth, &c., all these are signs that the through bac sadly shaken his nerves, and to some physical body is deranged and that if treated Restoc, Chinese etc., 1,338, Lunt, Jan. 20 extent made him a coward. What is cowardice, lightly, serious danger is to be apprehended. after all, considered physiologically? Why, W. Swanson, Esq., 70, King William-street, Michael Jelsen, Ger. str., 710, Soblaikier, Jan only a stretching or weakening of the right Fitzroy, Melbourne, says: "About Syears ago I beart, that under the stimulus of excitement or | was seized all of a sudden with great-lessitude, | Namos, British str., 803, J. Hurris, Jan. 1 depressment of danger refuses to receive back dizziness, and extreme policy near se so great that nerves of rotion and even the organio nervous dige ive organs were impaired and my liver ...

reckoning on. A pretty ship you ond a or mark t, must not be too severe with medies to no par-, young man, or young gentleman, if man in the terrible position in which Frank Mc. Clements Tourn

ing and giles were any good. But the busy who langhed at Ben. What d'ye want with mercy of God than you have to querrel with the agony. I can truly say that Clements Tonte Yanks had use neither for Greek nor Latin, and steam and sell both? they asked, you're be mun that sheds its rays on evil as good. | gave me prompt and very great relief." Head A SENSATIONAL STORY OF LOVE AND CRIME. came home. Then I met a farmer, not long I'm shead of this age. And now there isn't a was convened at once, and an attempt was made massive rings on his fingers, a broad gold chain the most valuable cargo that ere was shipped. This was not successful until Granville him

talk and walk that only a belance at your up, and we steam for dear life. And the mer- "William Brown," he said, with a smile, "is bankers can back one up in. I got held of him, chants know that their goods will be delivered all right, boys, and square. I swapped page and he told me his history, how, in Australia he to the day, ay, maybe to the hour itself. What with him, so lynching isn't to be thought about began by tarring fences and what not, and d've think, sir ? Excuse me, but I know by the He hasn't stolen a horse. No. William's aquare, "Ah, I see," said one brown-armed mars. "Hit the nail straight on the top," oried

> "Well," said another. "William was a good old sort, but we'll miss him. Been a kind o' a gent, too. But even gen to are sometimes good in a way." "Couldn't William sing a nice song ?" " Couldn't William spin a nice yarn ?" " Couldn't William make you laugh at times?" "Couldn't be make you ory, too ?"

"But a right good heart had William. D'y mind, mates, how be sat up night arter night wi' 'Tim Doolan's dyin' child, and how the poor wee "All right, mate. I'll be on deck in a brace of lass couldn't bear him out o' her sight, and died to Frank, "and when you see it you'll say, I . "D'ye mind, too, how kind he was to Cholly Harrison when the old man's kaugaron fractured

skipper had gone on deak to welcome the lady William staggerin' into camp now wi' Cholly in passengers, Frank ran into his cabin and had a his arms, as if thad been a baby, and how tenlonely man, but determined to make money, for with his nuggets safely, and turned them into near his claim, though it were busting wi' nug-

"Ho's going, too." said Granville, laughing, "as acon as he's sobar." Cholly wasn't sober however, that day, nor

supplied with whisky. Finally, on the evening And these-with the exception of himself- of the fourth day, the miners stopped his supmered at the shanty walls for an hour, then Frank McNaughton never thought for a mo- collapsed, not having another kick in him. Next

bush, for the black fellows gave little trouble. to read; the book might have been Hebrew or was riding furiously through the forest in the with the exception of an occasional kangaroo or head was hot, his brain seemed to burn, while "Good riddance o' bad rubbish!" said one Wallabes hunt. Both had excellent horses, thoughts ran wild through his mind. Though for miner. The rest nodded, lit their pipes, and

week to Sydney to do marketing, and at such rattling of a chain, the falling of a rope, a lond Sydney-just an hour after the Mountain Wave

a rainv day, and now he had need of it. More than once he heard the muffled noise of "I can do no good," h reasoned with himself I'll be there before you, William, waiting for

" I'll be waiting for ye at 'Frisco, William, and or happiness had been his lot in them all. Yes, ill, I've come all the way from Sydney to save

"And William will say, 'Hush! bush! not so If caught now and tried, he believed that the loud. Mention no name, and he'll drag me bitterness of death would be passed as soon as away to a public house, and he liquor me up to ing himself at the trial he would attempt no der bill businese before him.
such thing. Lawyers would be told off perhaps "William, dear, I'll say, 'ye do know some."

"And William will groan. "Don't be unhappy, William, dear,' I'll say step-father. I thought I had never seen so thoughts many a time and oft, almost every I can't disremember, William, that you saved pretty a girl, but there was a look of sadness hour of the day in fact: "I know not whether my life when t'old man kangaroo cracked my about her that went straight to my heart. As I am guilty or not. It is a problem I cannot nut. And now,' I'll say, 'Cholly's come to save for the old Captain, not that he is very old, he is volve. At times I think I am the murderer of yours. Cholly's poor, I'll say, but lo! what is dead set against the runaway lover, though. Wallard at times I think it impossible. I can 2150 compared to the pleasure o' saving a friend's heart at home in bonnie Sociand, ought to have strange to say, there are many believe that the not myself quite understand what all my mind neck from the cold fingers o' an unfeelin' hange was bent upon that night, and I do not remem. Mon. You have £3,000 odd. William, I'll say. "And I suppose the police have ceased to be ber stopping the clock, in steeling the key, or 'pay poor Cholly's fare back to Sydney, and very setive in the matter?"

crossing the fields, or killing the man. If I am lend him £300—mind it's only a loan, and I'll pened since then, and the one puts the other in in a state of semi-unconsciousness or somnam. "Chelly, he'll say, you're a brick, and I'll the shade, you know." bulism, but all remembrance of it has for ever pay your fare, and lend you the cash, and I'll see you on board and off. Jigger me, Cholly,

Then poor Frank's thoughts took a quieter old man, he'll say, 'we'll open a bottle o' Moet and different turn. They took him away back last thing, and leave another open and ready at to Scotland and Rose, once more he seemed to your bertheide, no your take a suck afore ye averse to settling down for any lengthened so filled with love for him alone. Once more he This was Chelly's soliloquy, and Chelly determined to set about putting his scheme into

him and he began to long with an indescribable swollen brain, tears always, and for the only The good ship Mountain Wave was five days time that night he fell into an uneasy kind of out from Sydney, steering about west and by a happy dog in Christendom, it surely was that It came in a way he little expected. One slamber. He dream a fearful dream, morth. There was a spanking beam wind blow. collie when he once more found bimself free from evening no less than seven or eight resolute, of loathsems dangeons, of darkness and damp, ing, and no more beautiful sight bould gladden the turmoil, the dust, and the din of a great hardy men came to pitch their camp near the of a silent gaoler who came and went in and out the eye of a sailor than the bonnie barque then HISTORICAL SKETCH ferm. They were on their way to a new gold of the cell where he crouched manacled on the presented. She carried every stitch of canvas a digging, at which already more than one fortune floor, a man who seldem spoke, who had neither ship could stagger under; her white sails belly. had been realised. William Brown that evening, soul nor feeling, to whom death was familiar in ing out before the breeze; her gilded trucks in an off-hand way, told Richie he thought he its most dreadful form. A dream of the night seeming to write the vessel's name in the blue thud-thud-of the labourers at work erecting light, and the gold-red line of copper shimmer. DESCRIPTION OF THE INDUSTRIES

leant to leeward. It was a day to make a sailor's heart rejoice, ly they worked, pausing only now and then to and to make him think of home, perhaps, but think at the same time that for quiet peace and Thud-thud. Why, he was almost awake joy there was no life like a life on the ocean wave. Breakfast had been finished in the calcon even the fastidious and stout Mrs. Colone It was but a phantom, and it vanished as he Keighly had been pleasant this morning to the respondingly happy, and so was honest Ben-Thud-thud-thud; it was the sound of oars | Boniface, who really did his best to please the

The mixen was about the only sail naset, and "Who is it?" he heard the officer of the watch light, was stretched across the quarter deck. where Mrs. Colonel Keighly now sat in her dock Frank McNaughton caught just one glauce of Tilda, her daughter, was leaving on Frank's

his face in the mirror that hung above his toilet arm, and he was guiding her carefully in a walk "Steamer in sight, sir!" "O!" cried Tilds." now we'll have a little extrembling as he wiped the sweat from his brow, citement. I like a steamer even better than

't he tall, raw-boned Yankee mate came aft to The time had come, then, at last , the terror, go below to the captain's quarters. What is she at all?" said Frank. "The Southern Stars was the reply: bound from Sydney to Frisco. I knew Bho'd

> Luckily for Frank, Tilds left him now, and Of two great evils choose the least. But be would wait. An hour after he heard the mate report that: "The Stars is running us aboard, sir. I recken

(To be continued.) A SCOTCHMAN'S PHILOSOPHY

An old Bootohman is said to have risen in

delivered himself of the following remarks: understand. First why boys will throw sticks at green apples when, if they waited, the apples time: thirdly and most important of all, I do men. He did not feel that the danger was gone, comes to all men, to some so prematurely, who was like the condemned man who is not par- disease, such as a tired aching feeling in the morning, headsches and nervousness, sour taste

u may call it so, and if a few be a. d. So good, Christian people, who could barely draw syself along. After long a Corivia British str., 419, May 23, Butterfield we their happy home, except to go to humber of doctor: pedicines and attracted re-Dr. Flatcher's Pills as made that same temark; and they'll tell you her; choon the least." That was the principle on well. Then a weight and strength Porn, Amr. str., 2,510, Wm., Ward, Jan. 20, t in Sydney, and they'll tell you at Melbourne, or which we work on one side loomed the quakly. I took ... wher 12 bottles of Cie. at 'Frisco where we cleared from that if there's | affeld read high ton the other death by ments Tonic and 4 hours Pills and Pilot Piels British str., 117, Stopani, H. & W. so anybody in this universal earth the and to gentle ske. B of it!" someone my health and vieto accepted under their

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